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PEDDY CLAIMS ELECTION ON RECOUNT

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetious And Otherwise By "S. S."

Breezy.

Continued cloudiness.

School board meets tonight.

Auto parts thief busy again.

Do your Fun Shopping early.

Today is King Albert of Belgium's birthday.

Pleasure Pier bids opened by council today.

Boy Scout budget drive opens Wednesday.

Health clinic at Red Cross hut, 2 to 4 o'clock.

"The Great Commoner" at Chautauqua tonight.

New garage in the 800 block on Procter open for business.

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur, 19; at Beaumont, 4.

Today's definition: A coquette is a woman who syndicates her affections.

Custom makes anything proper, so snoring in a Pullman must be polite, Captain Eddy observes.

CLEAN-UP HINTS—After scrubbing the front porch put out a "smallpox" sign so people won't track it up.

FASHION NOTE—Hats and bags to match are very stylish, and you usually can tell what is in one by looking into the other.

Ralph Bingham says witty retorts are good, but they always carry a chaff back of them. Wit always gives a terrible wallop.

Ike Durke, oil man, says he got the scare of his life the other night when one of his customers lit a match to see how near full his gas tank was.

Noisy meeting across the hall from the C. of C. officers quieted Monday night by Abe Goldberg when directors' deliberations were disturbed.

Constable H. F. Baker and Chief Covington had three subpoenas today, one in federal court and one in each of the district courts. "Sure keep us hoppin'," said the chief.

Commodore W. E. Longfellow, in Port Arthur some time ago for swimming and life saving demonstrations, returning to Port Arthur in May or June to inspect the Sea Scout camp here.

Homer Washburn was given a box of trick matches that don't light. He got so excited that when he lighted a match from a good box he forgot he had taken the cigar out of his mouth and scorched his nose trying to light it.

Rollin Drake told fellow-directors of the C. of C. Monday night the delegates to the convention of the United States Chamber of Commerce meeting in Cleveland in May should be instructed, and added "how to behave." G. T. Craig, H. F. Banker and J. R. Denny were the delegates named.

Ralph Bingham, humorist, silenced a Nawth Ender's wise cracks about Port Arthur Monday. C. E. Earhart, president of the Port Arthur Chautauqua association, said today. "The Nawth Ender told Bingham he didn't know the Chautauqua goes to towns as small as Port Arthur, and Ralph told him the Chautauqua went where the folks had enough pep to raise the coin," Earhart says.

Somebody thought it would be funny to run a column to compete with SS and they called it The Fun Shop. The idea is for all you folks who feel funny and write funny to do so for money, providing it's accepted. SS is a little modest about himself, but we've gotta be fair, so we say that we believe if you'll keep your eye on page 4 after this you'll get some merry ha-ha's. Anyway, it's worth trying. Give this guy Judson a chance.

Cloudy, Unsettled

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and Wednesday, cloudy, somewhat unsettled.

FOR EAST TEXAS: Tonight and Wednesday, mostly cloudy and unsettled; cooler in north portion tonight and in the interior Wednesday.

FOR LOUISIANA: Tonight and Wednesday, cloudy, somewhat unsettled; cooler in north portion Wednesday.

WINDS ON TEXAS COAST: Moderate to fresh southwest to northwest.

Highest temperature yesterday, 72; lowest last night, 61; precipitation, none.

Year Ago Today: Highest, 80; lowest, 66.

Sunset this evening, 6:39 p. m.

Sunrise tomorrow, 5:56 a. m.

TIDE RECORD

Time of high and low water at Sabine Pass Light under normal conditions on Wednesday, April 9; taken from tables prepared by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey:

High tides, 7:34 a. m.; 6:50 p. m.
Low tides, 12:56 a. m.; 12:27 p. m.

TEXAS WEATHER AND ROADS

Dallas—Clear roads rough.
Fort orth—Clear; roads bad.
Houston—Clear; roads bad.
San Antonio—Partly cloudy; roads bad.

New Hotel Proposal Wins Endorsement Of C-C. Directors

FINANCE PLAN ALSO APPROVED

Committee to Inquire Further Into Project

OFFER 20-YEAR LEASE

10 Per Cent Return On Investment Promised

Proposals for a new, modern fire-proof hotel to be built in Port Arthur at a cost of $350,000 took definite shape Monday night when presented to the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce.

Directors of the organization after a brief but favorable discussion of the project went on record as being in favor of the proposed hotel and upon motion of George N. Bliss instructed Howard M. Smith, president of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, to appoint a committee of seven to go into an exhaustive investigation of the project, including means of financing it.

Bliss Wants Action

"This appears to be something worth while, and what we want is action," Bliss said in making his motion for a committee to investigate the hotel proposal from every angle and report back to the directors.

Although the names of the men interested in the hotel for Port Arthur were not made public several of the directors declared to their personal knowledge they are responsible parties. The directors also asked that the Chamber of Commerce do everything possible to see that the hotel is constructed here.

Definite Proposal Made

Definite proposal to fully equip the hotel planned to be seven stories high, with roof garden, banquet and dining rooms, and about 125 guest rooms, was read to the directors by Art B. Burge, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, as submitted to him by the parties desiring to operate the new hotel in Port Arthur.

Plan of financing the hotel, as explained, includes raising a considerable proportion of the $275,000 required for the building from Port Arthur business men. The remainder would be obtained by interesting outside capital, and the hotel company, it was said, would furnish the hotel and guarantee a return of 10 per cent to those investing.

Offer 20-Year Lease

Under the terms of the proposal they want a 20 years lease on the hotel building, and agree to furnish it throughout "to give Port Arthur one of the best hotels in Texas."

The hotel men spent several days here recently thoroughly canvassing the hotel situation in Port Arthur and their proposal to the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping as outlined to the directors Monday night was the first definite word from them as to what they intended to do, Burge told the directors.

3 Texas Convicts Escape Penitentiary

By United Press.

HUNTSVILLE, Texas, April 8.—Three escaped short term convicts were being sought today by prison authorities.

The prisoners who were decorating the administration building, made their way to the guard quarters, exchanged their "stripes" for guard uniforms and walked out of the building to freedom.

Today's Five Best Radio Features

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WGY, Schenectady, (380 meters), 7:45 p. m. (EST)—Gilbert and Sullivan's light opera "H. M. S. Pinafore."

KGO, Oakland, (312 meters), 8 p. m. (PCST)—Verdi's opera, "Ilrovatore".

WFAA, Dallas, (476 meters), 8 p. m. (CST)—Program by the Women's Chamber of Commerce at Dallas.

WJY, New York, (405 meters), 8:15 p. m. (EST)—Dinner of the New York Society of Military and Naval officers of the world war.

WRC, Washington, (469 meters), 8:30 p. m. (EST)—Talk by Senator George H. Moses.

LOGAN SILENT ON PUBLICITY

Denies Knowledge of Mass Meeting Called

Mayor J. P. Logan this morning declared he had nothing to say regarding a mass meeting reported to have been held in his office last night to "inaugurate a publicity campaign to explain the city administration's attitude on various things that have come up since the administration's inception in office," and denied any knowledge of a reported second mass meeting contemplated for the present week.

"I knew nothing of the meeting until they came and got me" the mayor declared. "You might say I was conscripted."

Asked whether he knew of a second meeting being considered for this week in the same connection, and first reported as scheduled for tonight, Mayor Logan said:

"I don't know anything about it. You might find out from the persons holding them."

Handbills, it was reported this morning, will be scattered broadcast throughout the city somethue this week calling a mass meeting of citizens to be held at the airdome.

Young Candler Seeks To Cancel Note

By United Press.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 8.—The case of Walter T. Candler, son of the wealthy soft drink king, to cancel a note for $20,500, given Clyde Byfield, in payment of an alleged attack on Byfield's wife, was expected to be concluded in superior court today.

Candler, in opening his cancellation suit, declared that the note was given after his life had been threatened by Byfield in Paris. He denied attacking the pretty Mrs. Byfield in her stateroom en route to Europe.

COOLIDGE WINS IN MICHIGAN

Has 100,000 Lead Over Hiram Johnson

DETROIT, April 8.—President Coolidge majority over Senator Johnson was near the 100,000 with more than two thirds of the state's precincts reported in the republican presidential primary.

The vote in 1983 out of 2,894 precincts was:

Coolidge 102,129; Johnson 73,203. Coolidge's plurality 98,026.

BIG FOUR AT AMARILLO

AMARILLO, April 8.—Two hundred railroad men were here today for the Big Four rail convention.

Chief Lightheart, Jailed, Waits for Plodding Fiancee

She's Walking From El Paso To Oklahoma To Marry Errant Indian Lover

By United Press.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., April 8.—Chief Jack David Lightheart, Cherokee Indian, occupied a cell in the jail here today while Nancy Holmes, his bride to be, stepped blithely along the way on her long hike from El Paso to her incarcerated lover.

Lightheart, world war veteran, graduate of Carlisle University and linguist, was arrested here Monday, charged with vagrancy. When he was offered freedom if he would leave town, he refused. He preferred to fight the charges and wait for his sweetheart, whose whereabouts were discovered by an El Paso newspaper.

The romance of the chief and Nancy Holmes, Fresno, California, started in Hollywood six months ago while both were working in the films. But the chief grew restless, pulled stakes and headed into Mexico. He came out without any money and few clothes after rough treatment at the hands of the De La Huerta revolutionists and beat back to Oklahoma to visit his home at Vinita, according to his story to officers. Meanwhile the maid whom he had left unceremoniously at Hollywood started in search for her errant lover. She trailed him into Mexico but was hustled back across the border at El Paso because officials of the southern republic objected to her mauseline clothing and Ponjola haircut.

A message from Nancy at the chief here today advised him that she was without funds but would immediately start afoot for Oklahoma City. "I'll marry her as soon as she gets here," the chief declared. Lightheart is 42. His bride to be is 28.

C.-C. TO ACT IN JITNEY CASE

Will Call Meeting To Discuss Situation

EXTENSIONS DROPPED

Smith Says Antagonism Stops Trolley Plans

A special called meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping to go into the jitney and street car situations as related to Port Arthur's transportation problems was voted by directors of the organization Monday night.

This action came after Howard Smith, president of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, and manager of the Port Arthur Traction company, declared that all negotiations for financing car line extensions here have been dropped because of the "antagonistic spirit of the city administration."

Drake Urges Action

Smith went into the traction company's side of the present situation at the request of Rollin L. Drake, member of the Chamber of Commerce directorate, who urged the board of directors to take action on the transportation situation in Port Arthur.

"Only a few days before the mayor announced the streets will be thrown open to jitneys, the traction company officials were getting ready to hold a meeting to take up ways and means for financing a street car line extension here," Smith declared.

Drop Improvements

"Upon word from the city administration that jitneys would be allowed to operate, this meeting was postponed, and so far as I know another date for it has not been set. I

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McAlbert to Stay Over Wednesday

Finding the airdome would be available tonight and Wednesday night, McAlbert, miracle man, this afternoon decided to prolong his stay in Port Arthur through tomorrow night, he said today.

After resting up here for the remainder of this week, McAlbert will go to Houston to put on a demonstration in that city, he said.

FRANK POTTS TO QUIT C.-C.

Resignation to Become Effective in May, Report

Resignation of Frank E. Potts, traffic manager of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, will be asked by General Manager Art Burge, it became known today following an executive meeting of the Chamber of Commerce board of directors held Monday night.

Burge, in laying the matter before the board, asked if there would be any objection voiced if the action were taken. No objections were made.

Potts has been traffic manager of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping for the last two years, during which time he has made an enviable record.

His resignation will take effect May 1, it is understood.

94 MERCHANTS OFFER BARGAINS

Much Enthusiasm Shown In Coming Event

With the addition of four business houses to the list this morning, it was announced today that 94 merchants and businesses have signed agreements pledging their support of the "10 Trades Days" to be held in Port Arthur. It was thought by members of the Retail Merchants' association, which organization is sponsoring the movement to establish a trades week here, that the list will rise to the 125 mark within a short while.

"More merchants are coming in, and much enthusiasm is being manifested," it was said, "and things are looking for the best."

Those added to the list today include:

Lone Star garage, Linn Motor company, Jim Conners and the Electrical Specialty company.

Missing Officer and Fortune Found

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—Lieutenant Ervine Brown, United States navy paymaster, who disappeared at Mobile, Ala., March 10, with $120,000 in government funds, was found lying in a roadway here last night in a deranged condition.

Bids For Pier Opened

DEFER ACTION UNTIL FRIDAY

Park Board Given Time for Consideration

OFFERS ARE VARIED

Six Proposals Made On Different Bases

Bids on Pleasure Pier were received and read in open commission meeting this morning, being referred through suggestion of Rollin L. Drake to the park board for consideration pending a further report to city commissioners.

Sealed bids received from C. H. Fitz-Gerald, Henry Maitre, Carl Ericson and P. W. Sandefur, C. E. Dunstan, L. G. Reel and T. G. Cordua and J. H. Bradley were read, offering everything from 15 per cent of the gross receipts to construction of a $15,000 boat house in the lake for a 5 year lease on the pier.

Drake Asks Delay

After they had been read in full by Assistant City Secretary Hamilton, Chairman Drake of the park board suggested that the board would like to study the bids in detail, and go over each carefully, and

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DUFF OFFICERS ARE RE-ELECTED

'Howdy, Colonel' Shows Faith at Trinity

By Tom J. Wilhelm
Staff Writer for The News

TRINITY, Texas, April 8.—Stockholders of the Waco, Beaumont, Trinity and Sabine railroad in annual meeting today re-elected the entire official slate.

No plan has yet been advanced for financing the proposed Port Arthur extension from Livingston.

Elected were:

R. C. Duff, president; W. W. Smithey, assistant to the president; A. M. Ackerson, vice president and general manager; N. L. Barnes, secretary auditor; H. E. Kitcher, traffic manager; J. K. Enrfight, assistant secretary.

Directors: R. C. Duff, W. W. Smithey, A. M. Ackerson, H. E. Kitcher, W. A. Vinson, Wm. P. Hobby, Carter Stewart, L. O. Jackson, Alec Thompson, J. Thompson.

The Duff official party in a special car is inspecting the natural resources of the territory served. The trip will be completed Wednesday.

Everyone along the route expresses implicit confidence in the success of Duff's line.

"Howdy, Colonel Duff," was heard from citizens on all sides while the official party was in Trinity today.

National Sea Scout Officer Is Coming

Commodore W. E. Longfellow, nationally known swimming instructor and demonstrator in life saving methods, comes to Port Arthur in May or June to make an inspection of the Sea Scout camp which will be established here, according to word received by Scout headquarters today from New York.

Several months ago Commodore Longfellow was in Port Arthur under the auspices of the Red Cross chapter here, and gave a series of demonstrations in the Plaza natatorium.

PORT ARTHUR MEN ARE FINED

Frank Lissoti Given $300 Penalty

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 8.—Jack Richards, Port Arthur, was fined $150 each on two charges of possession of intoxicating liquor in federal court Monday afternoon. Frank Lissoto, also of Port Arthur was fined $300 and given a three months jail sentence for manufacturing liquor.

Seven other Port Arthurians were fined on liquor violation charges as follows: Lawrence Porter, $150; C. C. Withers, $150; Dan Askew, $150; P. M. Robertson, $1; Bob Derrough, $50; F. F. Green, $50, and Murphy Walker, $1.

Sentences on other pleas of guilty to prohibition violations will be given at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

True Mother Love!

Mrs. O. Margaret Young of Billings, Mont., has offered her body "for sale for any moral purpose." She needs the money for her children. She wants them to have good educations and the same advantages other "kids" have. And this is the only way she knows out of it. With the money—if somebody takes up her proposition—she will take a course in beauty culture and open a shop at her home.

DeWitt May Take $72,000 Contract Into The Courts

Sale of Delinquent Tax Land Is Held

When the city placed property on which taxes are delinquent on sale at city hall this morning, five pieces of land were disposed of to highest bidders, but little interest being manifested in the sales.

Sales of land incorporated the following:

Lot 12, block 71, tax due $23.03, sold for $160 to H. F. Banker.

Lot 21, block 137, sold to H. F. Banker for $171.72, amount of taxes due.

Lots 5 to 8 in block 3, west half subdivision No. 3, sold to Dr. E. W. Vaughan for $38.27, amount of taxes due.

Lot 26 and part of lot 27, in block 3, west half subdivision No. 3, sold to W. L. Shepard for $101.56, amount of taxes due.

Lots 13 to 15, block 7, west half subdivision No. 3, sold to H. F. Banker for $34.30, amount of taxes due.

TEXAS GIRL IS FOUND DROWNED

Missionary Worker's Baby Taken From Creek

HOUSTON, April 8.—The body of Miss Janie Wilson, presbyterian missionary worker, was found this morning in Oyster Creek, near Sugarland. She had gone to Sugarland Sunday to visit relatives.

It is unknown whether the drowning was accidental or a suicide.

The body was hastily sent to Nacogdoches for burial.

Miss Wilson is survived by a sister and two aunts.

State Candidate Visits Port Arthur

J. M. Nelson of Sulphur Springs, Texas, candidate for attorney general of Texas, paid Port Arthur an informal visit today renewing old acquaintances and making new ones. Nelson expects to return to Port Arthur later and make a speech in the interest of his campaign for attorney general.

For 10 years Nelson was a member of the legislature, during which time he was author of the "Jim Crow" law and was active in framing and putting through educational appropriations, and was author of the medical practicers' bill.

Nelson declared he is making his race for the place of attorney general on a platform of economy in the administration of this and all other state departments.

Judges Differ Over Validity Of Deal For Replotting of Lands in County

Every indication that he would hold the county to the $72,000 contract for replotting Jefferson county for assessment purposes was manifested Monday afternoon by B. R. DeWitt when he appeared before commissioners court at a special session.

Commissioners court signed a contract for the work, and last Saturday rescinded the contract. The DeWitt company took no recognition of the fact that the contract was cancelled, but went along with the work.

Many Spectators

A number of interested spectators were in commissioners court during the hearing, including local abstractors and county attorney Marvin Scurlock. Judge W. M. Harris, who represents the DeWitt company, told Scurlock that he would submit his brief on the case to him today.

Judge Harris declared that the court was within its rights and had made a legal contract. He referred to similar cases that had been decided in favor of the company making the contract with an official body.

Discuss Attorney General

Judge B. B. Johnson called Harris' attention to the fact that the attorney general had ruled that the court could not make such a contract and that it was illegal. Judge Harris replied that the "opinion of the attorney general was no better than that of any other lawyer and that it was a habit of the office to resolve every doubt of the locality that was requesting a ruling." He further explained that he had been in the office himself and that without casting any reflection on those in office now, who he stated were his friends, he knew this to be the case.

Judge Harris then was questioned as to whether or not it was a fact that any abstractor could do the work the DeWitt company had contracted for and he declared it was impossible—that the work required skill and that an attorney, lawyer and civil engineer all would have to take part in the work.

Says Contract Binding

Judge Harris contended that a contract of such nature could be let without competitive bidding.

Toward the end of the hearing Judge Harris asked, "What is the disposition of the court for payment for work already done?"

Judge Johnson stated that he had told DeWitt not to proceed with the work until he was directed to do so "and I also told the men working in the assessor's office not to look to the county for payment," Johnson continued.

There was no further action taken on the proposition, but there is every indication that the matter will be taken to the courts for a decision.

ONLY 50,000 VOTES LEGAL

Most of Ballots Challenged By Counsel

WOULD VOID ELECTION

Attorneys Say Purity of Election Demands It

WASHINGTON, April 8.—As a recount of the Peddy-Mayfield contest election case was completed today, Scott Woodward and Luther Nickels, counsel for Peddy claimed that less than fifty thousand of the 345,000 ballots had been found strictly legal.

Peddy's representatives said the tabulation of the legal ballots give Peddy a small majority.

Technicalities Claimed

Challenges of the Peddy forces against the "invalid" ballots must be passed on by the senate committee on elections. Most of the challenges are based on technical grounds involving Texas election laws while others are based on alleged fraud.

Woodward declared that "in the interest of purity of the ballot and election that had as many legal defects as this one should be declared no election."

Announcement Soon

It will probably be several weeks before the committee tabulation of totals will be ready, but Peddy's counsel plans to announce their tabulation in a week.

Although 403,000 ballots were cast in the election only 345,000 reached here for recount, others having been lost or destroyed.

SHE GRAPPLES WITH BURGLAR

But He Escapes When Husband Gets Gun

While she grappled with the would-be burglar, in her home in the 100 block on Eighteenth street last night at a late hour, her husband went to get a gun—

And then the burglar got away.

So police today were investigating details of the attempted buglary this morning that brought two young girls screaming from their slumbers when a night prowler broke the screen to their bedroom window, jimmied the window and crawled though. They were awakened, they reported to officers, when the prowler flashed a light in their face.

Hearing their screams, the woman is said to have ushered into their rooms and to have grappled with the prowler, while her husband attempted to locate a pistol. The intruder, however, got away before the man of the house had returned.

Names of the persons implicated were withheld by the authorities.

Y.M.B.L. To Benefit From McAlbert

During the regular meeting of Y. M. B. L. directors, held at a banquet staged in New Lakeview hotel today noon, it was reported by C. M. Dismukes that the organization would derive between $50 and $60 from the shows being held at the airdome by McAlbert, Miracle Man. This, with other funds being sought, will be placed in the organization's treasury to defray the deficit made in bringing the St. Joe ball team to Port Arthur for spring training.

Billiard Experts to Give Exhibition

Cleve Paice of Beaumont, expert pocket billiard player, has been secured to meet Ed Haines, pocket billiard champion of the south, in an exhibition series to be played for club members in a smoker Wednesday evening at the Port Arthur Athletic club, officials of the organization announced this morning.

Paige and Haines will play a block of 200 points.

Expert shots and tricks with the cue will be displayed to the members during the smoker, it was announced.

Furniture For Sale?

Use News Want Ads. People look every day in the "For Sale—Miscellaneous" column for such articles as furniture, chairs, tables, rugs, beds, buffets—in fact, anything in that line is always in demand by someone. Someone is waiting for such articles at all prices and will readily buy.

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PORT ARTHUR IN SUIT FOR BOND

City Tries to Recover On Procter Paving

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 8.—Suit for $4,042.53 and interest was filed in fifty-eighth district court here this morning by the City of Port Arthur against the Aetna Accident and Liability company.

According to the petition filed, the City of Port Arthur entered into a contract with the Eureka Paving company to construct pavement in 1916.

At the same time the Aetna company signed a maintenance bond for $15,000 guaranteeing that if the pavement put down by the Eureka company did not prove satisfactory they would stand responsible.

The petition sets forth that the paving was defective and that they had to make repairs in the sum of $4,042.53 to put it in condition. They now ask that they be refunded this amount by the insurance company. The Eureka Paving company is now bankrupt, and according to the petition, have no assets and cannot make a settlement with the city for the amount due them.

INTERPRETER CALLED IN COURT CASE

Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 9.—Attorney Fletcher Jones requested that Joe Babin be summoned as interpreter at the beginning of the C. Janise burglary case this morning in 60th district court. Mr. Jones declared that few of his witnesses could speak English with "any degree of intelligence." Accordingly part of the testimony was spoken in French and then to the court in English by Mr. Babin.

FRANK SMITH GOES ON TRIAL AT BEAUMONT

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 9—Hearing in the case of Frank Smith charged with assault on a government witness will be started in federal court Thursday morning. The charge followed a fight in a hotel here while Lee Howell was assisting federal employes on liquor cases. Howell has since served as deputy constable and was indicted by the grand jury on a robbery charge.

THREE INDICTED BY U. S. GRAND JURY

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 9.—Three indictments were returned by the federal grand jury here Monday afternoon. Whitt Grigs, former postmaster at Burkeville was indicted on three embezzlement charges. A bill was returned against Eugene Guillory for violation of a liquor law and Carl Hampton was indicted for purchase of narcotics. Ralph Kinslde, assistant to manager of the Magnolia refinery here was named foreman of the grand jury.

ROARK RESIGNS AS CITY MANAGER

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 8.—George J. Roark, Beaumont's $8,000 a year city manager, resigned his position here Monday afternoon. He stated that he will devote all his time to the Roark-Westberg company in which he is interested. Along with his resignation, Mr. Roark submitted a resume of what was accomplished in city improvements since the time he took office in May, 1920. This resignation was the second to occur within a week—City Attorney Charles Smith having also resigned.

WILL OF T. S. REED FILED FOR PROBATE

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 8.—The will of T. S. Reed Sr., former head of the T. S. Reed Grocery company of Beaumont and Port Arthur who died here February 20 was filed for probate Monday.

The document was hand written, and was executed December 24, 1919. Mr. Reed was the father of nine children all of which were named in the will, but the majority of the estate, amounting to $725,000 was given to his son, T. S. Reed Jr., who has been associated with his father in business for a number of years.

WOMAN TAKES APPEAL TO GET DIVORCE

BEAUMONT, Texas April 8—When Judge George C. O'Brien refused to grant a woman a divorce here Monday in his court, she filed notice of appeal to the ninth court of civil appeals. This is the first time that such action has ever been taken in a divorce case.

The woman had been married four times and this would have been her fourth divorce. She indignantly demanded an explanation from Judge O'Brien as to why he would not grant her a divorce, and he replied that any woman that could not get along with four husbands should not be permitted to try a fifth.

BEAUMONT POLICE HOLD BALL THURSDAY

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 8.—Arrangements for the police benefit ball to be held here Thursday night have been completed. The affair will be held at the Elks hall, the first night of the police benefit rodeo, and the proceeds from the entertainment will go towards the burial fund. D. B. Clark, city fire marshal is in charge of the program for the evening. It will be the first time such an affair has been given by the police department.

JUDGE ELLIS CALLS COUNTY COURT CASES

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 8.—Judge C. N. Ellis, county court at law called his appearance docket here Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. He disposed of 14 cases Monday, the majority of which were dismissed by agreement or want of prosecution.

50 APPLY FOR CITIZENSHIP PAPERS

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 8.—Fifty applicants for citizenship papers came up for disposal Tuesday morning in federal court. A. L. Burge, of the Holland Texas Hypothek bank of Port Arthur was one of the prominent business men to be given his papers.

One applicant, Tony Schiatano, Beaumont, requested that his name be changed to Tony Reno, which request was granted by the court.

C. OF C. ACTS IN JITNEY CASE

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do not think it is likely that under the present condition there is any remote possibility the traction company will make any further effort to finance street car line extensions here," Smith said.

Smith declared that in the event a special meeting is called to consider transportation problems he would not care to be present. He pointed out that some might say the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping is being used for the interests of individuals, and that he desired to avoid mutually embarrassing situations. Action on the transportation problems here should comefrom members of the Chamber of Commerce as individuals, or through other organizations to which they belong, rather than in their own meeting, Smith said.

Lohmann Takes Chair

When Drake put his motion for a special directors meeting to go into the transportation situation, Henry Lohman, vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce, was called upon to preside temporarilly, and took the vote on Drake's motion, which carried unanimously.

"The transportation problems should be discussed in a business-like way by the directors," Drake said before putting his motion, "and the discussion should be free and fair.

"I personally do not favor jitneys, and I do not believe there is any other director who does favor jitneys, but we all recognize, I think, that the transportation problem here needs to come before the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping because of its civic importance, and for that reason I move a special called meeting of the directorate be held to discuss this problem freely and fairly, in a business like way," Drake said.

WOMAN ACCUSED OF POISONING HUSBAND

LAWRENCE, Kans., April 8.—Charges of murder were placed today against Mrs. J. H. Jeffried, whose husband, a janitor employed at the state university here, died from arsenic poisoning March 30. Authorities charge the woman threatened her husband.

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Men Only Men
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DAVIDSON MAY HELP M'DOWELL

Judge's Health May Force Him to Take Rest

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 8.—W. H. Davidson, former district court judge here will be asked to take the bench in 60th district court if Judge E. A. McDowell's health is such that he cannot hear cases. When Judge McDowell arrived at the court house this morning he had to be assisted to the court room. He has an exceptionally heavy criminal docket for hearing and if his condition does not improve, Judge Davidson will take the bench.

COURT DOCKET

Suits Filed

City of Port Arthur against the Aetna Accident and Liability Co.

Divorces Filed

Nellie Pollard vs. Benton Pollard.
Jim Roach vs. Sevilla Roach.
Dooley Hatcher vs. Celestia Hatcher.
Adra Holsome vs. Joe Holsome.
Bertha Ozio vs. Lester Ozio.
Lucia Wilfert vs. A. J. Wilfert.
Elizabeth Beverly vs. Curly Beverly.
Lottie Wends vs. A. L. Wendt.

Marriage Licenses

E. L. Wallace and Miss Lulu Watts.
Charles Keys and Eula Traham.
Walter Gilmore and Edna Crockett.
Wilson McDaniel and Miss Ruth Evelyn Caraway.

Automobile Licenses

Miss Evelyn Davenport, Port Arthur, Studebaker.
Joseph Hemey, Port Arthur, Box 1211.
Paul Gautreaux, 519 Eighth street, Port Arthur, Ford.
H. L. Goss, 16 street, Port Arthur, Ford.
A. R. Resch, Linn Motor company, Port Arthur, Ford.
A. L. Dommes, 2301 16 street, Port Arthur, Ford.

Revival Begins at Nederland Church

A revival for the Church of Christ started in Nederland Sunday with Rev. L. E. Carpenter, pastor of the local Church of Christ, conducting the services which are being held in one of the newly constructed brick building on Main street. Services will continue through this week. The interest is good and the attendance is unusually large, Rev. Carpenter said this morning.

Chautauqua Heads Visit Port Arthur

J. R. Ellison, general manager of the Ellison-White Chautauquas, and Walter E. Stern, circuit manager of the Port Arthur circuit, are in Port Arthur meeting the various committeemen and conferring with the executive officers, C. E. Earhart, president, and R. C. Reed, secretary. Both will attend the Rotary luncheon in Orange today, where they will be guests of honor.

Tulsa School Man Picked By Houston

By United Press.

HOUSTON, April 8.—Dr. E. E. Oberholtzer, 20 years superintendent of the public schools of Tulsa, Okla., was elected to the superintendency of Houston's schools, it was officially announced today.

His election closes several months' effort to secure a new school head.

REFINERY MEN HOLD ELECTION

Select Delegates to Various Conventions Tomorrow

A new president and delegates to the Trades Council, Texas Federation of Labor and Oil Field and Refinery Workers annual convention will be voted on Wednesday by Refinery Workers' Local No. 23. Election will be held from 7 o'clock in the morning to 8 at night in Carpenters' hall.

President will be elected to fill the unexpired term of R. B. Alloway, resigned.

Nominees are M. H. Hardelik, W. D. Bettis, A. E. Clark and J. B. Lee.

Four nominees are in the race for delegate to the Trades Council. They are M. H. Hardelik, E. Newbaer, W. D. Bettis and Andy Brabo.

Three will be elected delegates to the Texas Federation of Labor convention to be held in Port Arthur April 21. Nominees are A. B. Clark, Tom Collins, J. B. Lee, G. C. Betterton, S. B. Roper and Henry Maitre.

Henry Maitre, with no opposition, is nominee for delegate to the Oil Field, Gas Well and Refinery Workers' convention to be held in Long Beach, Calif., May 5.

Election law rules will be observed election day, two extra hours, however, being given in order to make it possible for workers on any shift to cast their ballot. Members of the refinery workers' local now number about 1200 about 100 gain since the first of January, Henry Maitre, treasurer, said today.

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WILL FIGHT FOR DUFF RAILROAD

Port Arthur Men to Go to Washington Hearing

A fight to the last ditch for Col. R. C. Duff's railroad from Waco to Port Arthur was pledged by directors of the Port Arthur Chamber of Commerce and Shipping at their meeting Monday night.

Representatives from Port Arthur, George M. Craig, and others, will go to Washington when the oral arguments are heard by the inter-state commerce commission on Duff's application for a permit to build the road, and a brief of the case to offset the fight made by the Kansas City Southern against the Duff line also will be prepared by the Port Arthur organization, the directors decided.

Bliss, Urges Fight

"If we don't do anything else this year, we should carry on this fight with Col. Duff to the last ditch," George N. Bliss, of the directorate, declared Monday night after a letter from Col. Duff had been read, asking for additional support and data to carry the fight for the line to the inter-state commerce commission.

"The only danger that remains, I think, lies in the insidious proposals of the Kansas City Southern relating to the use of their facilities," Duff stated in his letter, addressed to Howard M. Smith, president of the Port Arthur Chamber of Commerce and Shipping. "This, I think, your organization should combat to the utmost. To that end I urge that a brief be filed and the submission of an oral argument to the Interstate Commerce Commission, and I think it would be well enough if your organization would send a committee to Washington when the case is argued.

Letter Read to Directors

The letter from Col. Duff read Monday night to the Chamber of Commerce directors was thanking the organization, George M. Craig, chairman of the special committee appointed on the Duff line work, A. L. Burge, and Frank Potts, manager of the traffic department, "for the splendid and effective support extended at the hearing at Austin."

"I particularly desire to refer to the loyal and effective work of Mr. Potts, who remained with us to the last moment of the hearing," Col. Duff wrote. "The fact that he did enabled us on the last morning of the hearing to put him on the stand and negative testimony of the protestant which if left in the record uncontroverted might have been injurious to our cause. His long and complete knowledge of the situation at Port Arthur generally, as well as from a traffic standpoint was invaluable to us, and should continue to be to your organization.

"Mr. Craig's intimate knowledge of the history of the K. C. S. and of its record at Port Arthur enabled us, I think, once and for all to dispel the myth regarding the benevolent and paternal attitude of the K. C. S., invariably assumed by that company whenever its policy regarding exclusion of other lines is attacked," Col. Duff wrote.

BRITISH SUB FLOATED

LONDON, April 8—The British submarine L-23 which went aground near the needles channel, was undamaged and was refloated, it was announced at the admiralty today.

Estes Not to Name Commissioner Here

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 8.—Judge W. L. Estes stated here this morning that he would probably not appoint a United States commissioner from Port Arthur.

It was expected that Judge Estes would make this appointment before the last term of federal court adjourned. But he stated that it was his belief that the district attorney's office did not want another commissioner.

TWO KILLED AS CAR PLUNGES DOWN HILL

VERONA, Pa., April 8.—Two persons were killed and six others injured here when a street car ran wild down a hill, jumped the tracks and crashed into a garage.

The dead: Charles W. Bersel, motorman of the car; William Isherwood, a passenger.

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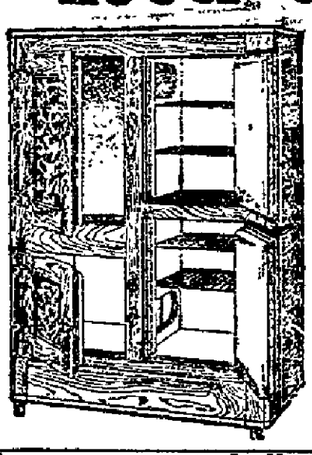

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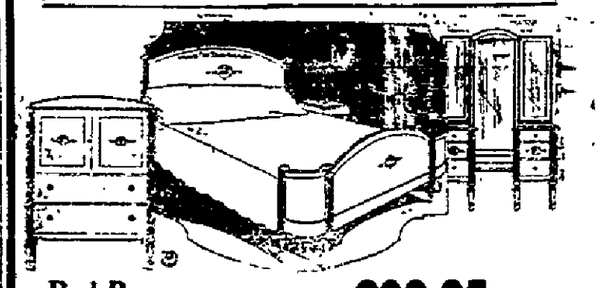

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Lily of Valley Sweet Corn, No. 1	13c	3 Bars Washing Powder	13c
Pure Jelly Glass, 8 oz.	13c	4 Rolls 5c Toilet Paper	13c
Peach Jam 1 1-4 pounds	13c	3. box. Uneede Crackers	13c
4—5c Wax Paper	13c	P. M. Salad Dressing, 3 1-2 oz.	13c
Battleship Macaroni and Spaghetti 2 for	13c	Look for Red Tag No. 7	

Meat Department

Box Bacon	38c	Honey Brand Hams	24c
Sugar Cured B. Bacon, whole or half	22c	Picnic Ham	15c

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The welcome response given this sale, the past three days has been very gratifying. It has proven to us that the people of Port Arthur really appreciate and know value when they see it. Since the opening of this—Our Tenth Anniversary Sale—thousands of dollars have been saved and many more will be saved in the next few days. Stocks have been replenished and re-arranged to make shopping here very easy, offering new Spring merchandise at about cost.

Three Dress Groups That Compel Attention
$9.00
$14.90 $19.95

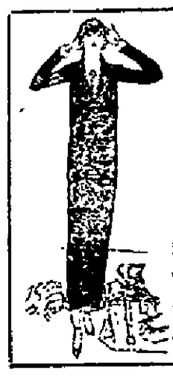
This includes 90 per cent of our entire stock of Spring Dresses. You know what that means. Hundreds and hundreds from which to choose.

To be sure, there is a dress among one of these groups for you. Every color, every conceivable style, material and design is among them. Values as high as $39.50 are included. Can you realize what a saving this means to you? If you would be wise, be here tomorrow and select your costume for Easter for NOW is when savings are greatest—during our 10th Anniversary Sale.

Ladies' $7.50 Linen Dresses $4.98
All styles, many colors, in all sizes. These Dresses sell regularly for $7.50 at all stores. Compare them with any value you are offered elsewhere.

Ladies Silk Petticoats in many colors, regular $2.50 values, on sale for $1.79
Polly Silk Hose in about twenty-five different colors, in all sizes, on sale for 89c

$20 Silk and Wool Capes
$9
About 50 Capes of silk and wool in the group. Many different styles and designs from which to choose. They sell regularly for as high as $20. Get yours here for $9.



Sale of $39.50 Suits
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The season's greatest Suit value. They come in gray, tans, and navy, of poiret twill in all sizes. The boyish mode is included in them, and you, too, will say that they are well worth $39.50. On sale during the Anniversary Sale, $19.95.

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Men's 72 80 count, regular $1 Union Suits on sale for 49c
Men's extra fine fancy styles in $2 Union Suits for 99c
Men's $2 neckband and collar attached Shirts in many patterns, all sizes special 99c
Finch's khaki pants, regular $2.50 value, on sale for $1.69
Men's $2 union-made unionalls in blue only special $1.29
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Lecture Tonight Will Be His Last In City

McAlbert, "the miracle man," closes his engagement here tonight after spending more than two weeks in Port Arthur answering questions as to the future and past as proposed by Port Arthur people.

He leaves tonight after his final engagement at the aldome under auspices of the YMBL for Houston, where he has an engagement for a series of occult demonstrations and health lectures.

Lack of space has prevented printing answer to all questions asked and answered so far, but those remaining will be published, even though McAlbert will have left town. Those signed only with initials will not be answered.

Here are today's answers:

Mrs. J. A. C. D.—You will come through all right.
J. W. W.—She should not.
Mrs. M. G.—It has been misplaced.
K. P. B.—I would buy here.
Mrs. L. T.—The doctor is all right, but I would have this done now if at all.
C. M. C.—He will get work.
F. R.—You can do this.
L. L.—I see better health for you.
S. A.—You will.
Mrs. V. M.—They will it nothing interferes.
Mrs. B. A.—I would do this and help him.
Mrs. L. H.—He is doing all right.
Mrs. J. B. D.—I do not see him getting it back.
S. F. J.—No.
A. B—You better wake up.
D. M. D.—You can.
R. H—He can be made to talk. Take him to your doctor.
Mrs. O. H.—You should seek real happiness.
W. M. S.—You will, in my opinion.
R. P. S.—You will succeed with your property.
P. C.—He will not.
L. S.—No harm. Just some boys playing a joke on you.
Mrs. M. H—I see your mother getting better.
Mrs. L. I. C.—I see you coming out all right.
L. L. B.—I would advise you to stay where you are.
M. B. H.—Yes, you can in music.
Mrs. S. P. A.—I see you paying for your home.
Mrs. R. V.—I would advise him to hold his work.
Mrs. E. D. G.—I see success for him.
G. A. S.—You will.
E. M. W.—I see they will get a home.
Mrs. D. R. M.—I see you coming all right.
Mrs. F. G.—The future is all right for you if you will let it be.
Mrs. R. H. B.—I see a chance for a change for you.
S. R.—I would advise you to build this year.
F. A.—I do not see you getting the dog back.
C. F. S.—Yes, there is.
W. A. R.—I see her getting better with proper care.
Mrs. T. J. H.—He does care for you and is a good husband to you.
L. G.—Some time you will hear from him.
L. E.—I would advise you to stay here.
B. Mc. M.—Get you a forecast written to guide you.
Mrs. N. J. R.—You will not lose your property if you will get busy with it.
J. R. W.—The trip would be all right.
J. M. C.—All right.
Mrs. J. W. W.—He does and you people should be happy and prosperous.
F. E. N.—The change would be better for you in the end.
B. P. L.—You will get advancement.
Mrs. L. A. W.—The property is consumed by the state. You would have a hard time to get it now.
K. P. B.—There is.
Mrs. W. R.—You will hear from him.
M. E. R.—Very soon.
Mrs A. L. F.—They will see you.
Mrs. I. O. F.—The party is all right.
Mrs. A. M. G.—The right kind of exercise will do wonders for her as well as the proper food.
Mrs. L. C. P—She is getting along all right, don't worry.
Mrs. H. H.—I do not see you getting this back.
Mrs. L. M. C.—I see an opportunity for a change.
Mrs. L. M. S.—You can keep the car.
L. D S—The treasure is not there.
S. W. B.—In my opinion he is alive and some day you will hear from him.
Mrs. W. M. G.—Your husband should keep his job.
W. M. G.—You could do all right.
Mrs. M. J. B—I see you doing all right and your husband will pay out on the lot.
Mrs. R. F. W.—I see he will be sucessful.
L. A.—I see you will have the opportunity.
I. L.—You will hear of the party.
Mrs. M. C—You will hear from him.
C. T.—This is up to you
Mrs. B. H.—I see you getting work.
Mrs. L. D—Hold the land.
Mrs. F. J. G.—The operation will help her.
Mrs. A. E. G—You will see your father before long.
Mrs. I. R. B.—You will.
Mrs. W. G.—The trouble can be helped with the proper combination of food.
Mrs. E. F. H.—They will be.
H. M. H.—They are noncommunicative to me.
Mrs. J. J. B.—He does.
Mrs W G A.—You will be.
J. E.—There will be for the best.
Mrs G. W. O.—You will hear from him.
Mrs. E. S. W.—I see better success for him.
Mrs M. C.—I would hold the lots.
H. P. L.—Stay where you are you will win.
Mrs. J. L. Le. B.—The patent is all right. Get somebody interested with money.
A. G.—You will.
M. G.—You will come out all right.
Mrs. E. O. S.—I do not see him coming home now.
Mrs. K. H.—They were stolen.
IDA.—Your father will improve in his health.
Mrs. I. W. E.—I would not advise your husband to quit his job.
S. H.—She can have.
A. L. B.—I see success for you.
T. S.—You will.
Mrs. L. S—You will have company before long.
Mrs. G. V.—There is oil there.
Mrs. C. L. W.—You can have and will.
H. L. L.—I would not do this.
Mrs. R. D. H.—This is not registered.
K. L. Z.—She does care for you.
D. D. L.—There is no harm.
Mrs. O. E. D.—You have.
H. F. F.—I see you getting work.
K. J.—You will succeed.
F. S. D.—I see you renting your house.
Mrs. J. M.—If you will adhere to the proper combination of food you will get better.
J. W. C.—You are indeed doing the right thing for the benefit of your family and stay with it for their sake.
Mrs. C. C. H.—I see him getting work.
J. A. S.—You will have news of him.
Mrs. J. F. A.—I see him keeping his job.
Mrs. L. M. S.—Your stomach is not right.
L. D. S.—I do not see you getting it back.
Mrs. M. B. R.—I do not see so.
Mrs. V. Mc.—I see you will get to make your trip.
Mrs. S. C.—Your future looks good.
L. R. D.—Do not grieve over your condition. You are lucky not to have very many friends.
Mrs. P. J. R.—Your boy will need an operation to cure that rupture so see your doctor and have this done. The sooner the better for your boy.
Mrs. O. L. G.—I see better things for you.
A. M. B.—I see you getting work.
H. M. W.—No, you are not.
Mrs. E. G. P.—I do not see them getting a lot of money out of this.
W. T R.—Some day you will hear from them.
J. D. M.—You will get work.
V. E. D.—I do not see any change for you.
A. G.—You just do as you think best.
M. L.—I see you getting some of this money.
Mrs. J. L.—I see better things for you with another.
T. L. J.—You will get the insurance.
Mrs. J. W. W.—You can.
Mrs. L. H. E.—Your husband is all right.
Mrs. S. P.—You just misplaced it. You can find it.
S B. P.—I see you getting a square deal.
Mrs. R. S.—I do not see him doing anything.
S. L. W.—You will.
Miss L. R.—No reason you will not go on your trip.
J. A. H.—You will come out all right if you will just get busy.
Mrs. N. E. R.—I see he will get work.
C. A. S.—I see you working right along.
L. R. H.—You are better in mechanics.
E. B.—I see you getting better.
L. S—She will get what is coming to her.
Miss G. E.—I see that you can go.
Mrs. J. W.—He will succeed.
Mrs. C. A.—In my opinion he is and get get busy with it.
E. D.—I would try to do so.
Mrs. W. P.—You will in my opinion get this.
Mrs. M. M. H.—I see you coming out all right.
W. T. Y.—I see success for you.
Mrs. E. E. G.—I see him doing better soon.
Mrs. L. E. F.—Proper food and care and he will come out all right.
Mrs. E. G.—Some time he will pay the rest.
Mrs. M. H—I see that you will get this
Mrs. J. H. J.—She will come to see you some time.
Mrs. C. C.—There is a chance for him.
E. R. A.—You will some time.
A. R.—I would advise you to do so.
L. M. O.—You will.
W. P. U.—They did and it is there.
Mrs. R. C.—I see you getting better.
Mrs. M. E. H.—They are noncommunicative to me.
Mrs. E. B. H.—I see you finding this.
M. W.—You will get something out of this. You are doing the right thing.
Mrs R. B—You can have.
Mrs. V. A. P.—I see you having the chance.
R. B. T.—It was taken.
Mrs F. S. C.—In my opinion they deliberately let him go.
Mrs. C. L. O.—I would hold for the present.
Mrs. S. S. S.—Your eyes can be benefitted. I see you getting better.
O. G.—The thing for you to do is to just get happiness in your soul.
Mrs. M. M. A.—I see you getting better.
Mrs. P. L. N.—I do not see any more for you at this time that will benefit you.
Mrs. C. D.—I see him getting better.
Mrs E. H.—I would wake that gent up and see that he works.
J. S. A.—It looks good to me.
Mrs. M. E. A.—It is all right.
Mrs. M. A. S.—I see that you will find this.
Mrs. R. G—I see you will see her.
Mrs. E. M. A.—I see that he will get them back.
J. H. G.—There can be.
Mrs. M. L. F.—He will.
R. D.—There is oil there in my opinion.
Mrs M. B. O.—I would not depend on him.
Mrs. L. D.—Just as you like.
Mrs. P. R. W.—He can and it would be all right.
R. B. N.—They will come.
Mrs L. A. N.—You will.
L. N.—He will get better with proper care.
N. N.—I see him getting better with proper care.
Mrs. T. C. J.—You will find the ring in the dresser drawer in your bedroom.
K. D. L—That boy is all right. He did not steal the thing.
Mrs. T. C. D—Stay where you are. You have a good job.
Mrs. C. X. Z—That party is not telling you the truth.
L. K. J.—My but you are stingy. Why don't you pay the boy?
Mrs. C. H. T.—Your dog was shot because he bit the boy.

HE FINDS TREASURE RIVALING CAPT. KIDD'S

By United Press.

HOUSTON, April 8.—Shades of Morgan and Captain Kidd. Treasure has been unearthed here. John Dunlap, assistant postmaster, while picnicking with his family uncovered a cache containing four gallons of wine buried at the foot of a tree.

TOO MUCH FRESH AIR BRINGS ON SHOOTING

CHICAGO, April 8.—Luis Croner likes the windows wide open at night. George Miller thinks the fresh air ought to be kept outside. Croner and Miller, roommates, argued the point with a revolver. Croner is seriously hurt and Miller is hunted by police.

Your small change will make a big change in your appearance if you buy your clothing on a Farley charge account. A small payment down gets your choice of the newest styles in Coats, Suits, Dresses, Millinery, Blouses, Skirts, Sweaters, for women. Men's and Boys' Suits, Top Coats, Rain Coats, Hats and Trousers.

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Itching Eczema Gone

People who have endured tortures from itching eczema will be happy to learn that a means of relief has been perfected and is already enjoying unheard of popularity on account of the quick way it gets rid of the awful disease of the skin which nobody seemed able to figure out before.

Most all dealers have been forced to get a supply of this Black and White Ointment on account of the tremendous demand which has already reached the mammoth rate of nearly two million packages a year in its sales.

It is economical, too. The big 50c package contains three times as much as the liberal 25c size.—Adv.

One Million Acres Of Mexican Land Leased By Rising Oil King

E. L. Doheny, politician, oil magnate, and figure in the Senate oil investigation, has told of his early adventures and how he made his first $1,000,000 in oil in earlier chapters of "How I Made My Millions." This is the eighth chapter. (Copyright, 1924, NEA Service, Inc.)

By E. L. DOHENY

Eventually we got the California situation well in hand, and began looking around for other fields.

Mexico was the nearest and most attractive, for there had been many stories of untold quantities of oil, some of it bubbling on the very surface of the ground. We went down to check these reports.

For a time we prospected, not on foot, as in the old days, but by comfortable train. We went along the eastern coast to Cardenas, and investigated the oil exudes in that vicinity. Then, accompanied by Mexican guides, we pushed through the dense underbrush of the jungle finally reaching Huasteca plain, where we came upon a pool of oil.

I immediately obtained leases on about 1,000,000 acres of this territory, and came home to organize a company to exploit the project. It was the most pretentious I had ever undertaken, for roads had to be built, pipe-lines laid, railways constructed, shops and warehouses erected, and a myriad other details arranged, before the mineral wealth of the interior could be brought to the sea for export.

Yet charges have been made that we have instigated revolutions in Mexico—a land where we have sunk millions, where we could be among the principal sufferers in a time of revolt and disorder! Nonsense. Absolute nonsense.

After beginning the development of the Tampico field, we went south and turned our attention to the Tuxpan region, which produces a lighter oil.

With this further experience I became expert at sensing of oil. As a friend once put it: I was developing "the supreme knowledge of being able to see into the ground."

And it is in the checking of this knowledge that I get the greatest joy of my oil developments. I don't have to wait for the report on the financial end of the enterprise to get my "kick" out of it; I get it in formulating the plans and seeing them carried out.

It is a success for me when a project is started to find out if there is oil where I think it is.

For I've come to believe that the calculating of the location of oil becomes as exact a calculation as the solving of a mathematical problem

And if a man knows his business, and has the time to select his place, there is no reason why he should ever drill a well in a dry hole.

SUSQUEHANNA RIVER OVERFLOWS ITS BANKS

WILKES BARRE, Pa., April 8.—The Susquehanna river went out of its banks here today, flooding lowlands along the west side, endangering scores of homes and doing thousands of dollars damage.

51 FIRES IN ONE WEEK AT HOUSTON

HOUSTON, April 8.—Fire destroyed one residence and badly damaged two others over the weekend here bringing the total number of blazes to 51 for the week.

Fellowship of Prayer

Daily Lenten Bible reading and meditation prepared for Commission on Evangelism of Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America.

TUESDAY
The Eternal Spirit

Read Mt. 13:31-44. Text: 13:33. The kingdom of heaven is like unto leaven, which a woman took, and hid in three measures of meal, till it was all leavened.

"The significant thing is that the religious experience of Jesus was being continued within the precincts of his human relationships. This was being accomplished not simply through the remembrance of his career in Galilee, a little later perpetuated in historical Gospel records, but through his continued personal contact with human life."

MEDITATION: As Jesus was able to communicate to his disciples the nature of his divine life so that they too became partakers of God's grace and joint heirs with Him of God's promises of immortality, so has His Spirit during the years led countless thousands into life eternal. This spirit ever allures the souls of men to enter the daily practice of immortality.

PERSONAL QUESTION: Does the restlessness and dissatisfaction of the present help me to a better future?

PRAYER: Almighty God, may we be like-minded with Christ, that we may with confidence seek to do thy will. Let us take our daily duties in the spirit of love, that we may learn of Thee. May our eyes be turned towards Thee and our quest be for the eternal, in Christ's name. Amen.

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Eczema on Feet.

One man says he had it over twenty years and that one bottle Imperial Eczema Remedy cured him. All druggists are authorized to refund your money if it fails.—Adv.

Varicose Veins Are Quickly Reduced

No sensible person will continue to suffer from dangerous swollen veins or bunches when the new powerful, yet harmless germicide called Emerald Oil can readily be obtained at Hart Drug Co., Service Drug Co., and Corner Drug Co. or any well stocked drug store. Mail orders accepted.

Ask for a two-ounce original bottle of Emerald Oil (full strength) and refuse substitutes. Use as directed and in a few days improvement will be noticed, then continue until the swollen veins are reduced to normal. It is guaranteed and is so powerful that it also reduces enlarged glands, goitres and wens.—Adv.

Thrift Essays Written for First National Bank by Pupils of Port Arthur Public Schools

Thrift is the fundamental foundation of riches. Without it, this would be a wasteful world. Thrift is the road to success, because mankind cannot survive without it. He must be thrifty in every walk of life to accomplish and maintain success.

John was the type of boy that attended school regular, and got the most out of school he could. On the other hand Billy did not attend school regular, and only brought up his lessons occasional. Both boys finished school at the same time. John obtained an excellent position, and deposited his money in the "First National Bank" and was thrifty in every respect. Billy obtained an unsuccessful position, because of his poor education.

In later years, John accomplished a position in the world that he was proud of. "Due to thriftiness." Thriftless Billy holds a undesirous poition in the world, and is on the road to failure, because he lacked the courage to save.

If a fellow is thrifty in every respect, he can accomplish anything he desires.

LESTER BADGETT.
721 Seventh. Port Arthur High School.

A Most Exceptional Offering of Spring

Dresses

Here is a wonderful collection of new Spring Dresses in all the season's newest styles and designs. Dresses that are well worth $39.50. They come in all colors and materials, are of taffetas, satin back crepes, cantons, georgettes and others. This is indeed an exceptional offering of dresses and a timely opportunity for you to purchase your Easter frock at considerable saving.

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To fully appreciate the worth of these Dresses you must see them in our window.

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All colors, all styles, all shapes. One of the prettiest selections of new spring millinery that has been placed on sale in this store. About 25 hats in the lot and every one of them worth $7.50. On sale for $3.98.

Special Offering Of Sleeveless Sweaters

$3.39

Special offering on sleeveless sweaters in many styles and colors. If you need a litlte sweater of light weight for the spring season, this is an ideal opportunity.

Special Offering Of Silk Scarfs

$2.98

Don't they add a world of charm to the sport costume—these pretty little silk scarfs. They come in every hue of the rainbow and are made of Silk Jersey. They have been just received and put on special for a few days only.

Goldberg's
"WHERE STYLE BEGINS"

Study the Many Labor-Saving Devices of the BOONE

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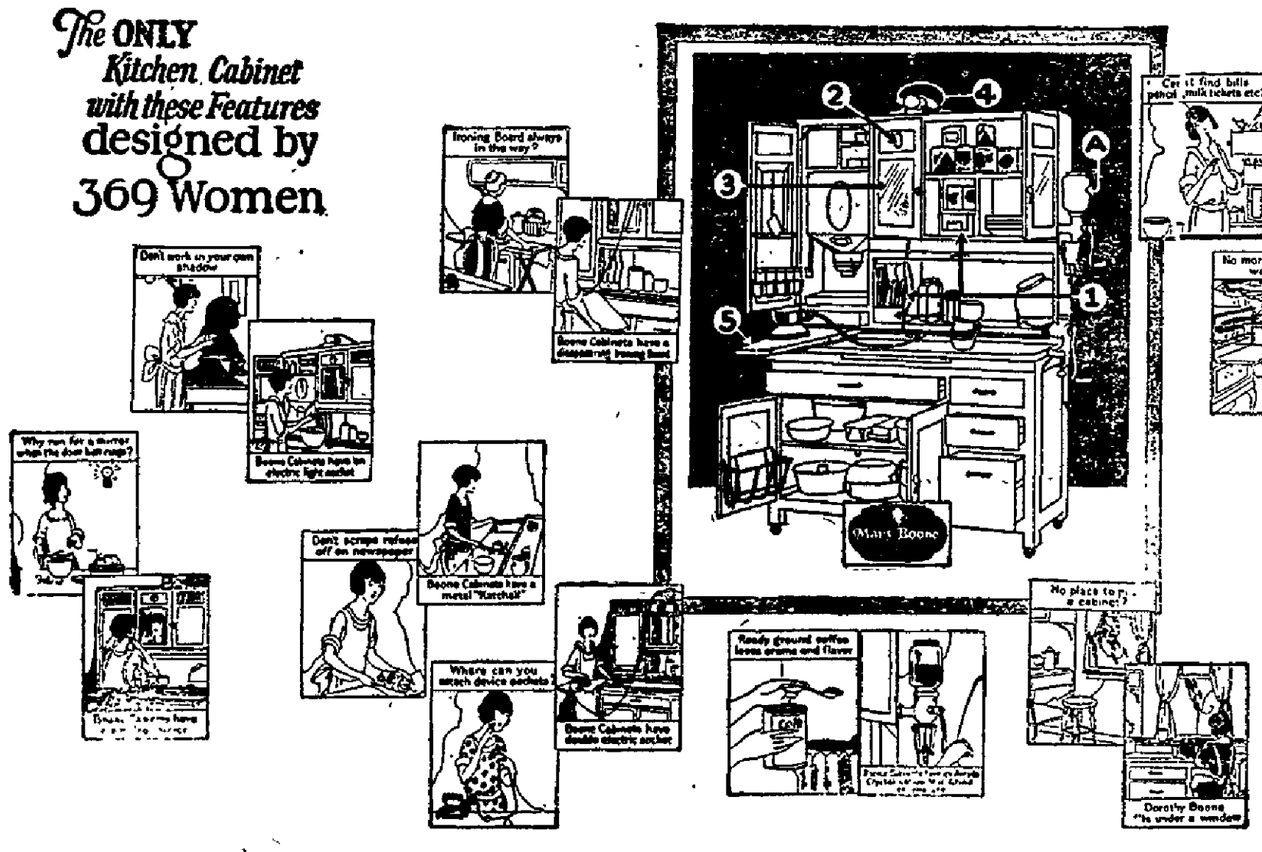
The **ONLY** *Kitchen Cabinet with these Features* designed by 369 Women



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How did women ever get along without these conveniences?

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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

—SLOTHFULNESS CASTETH INTO A DEEP SLEEP, AND AN IDLE SOUL SHALL SUFFER HUNGER. PROVERBS 19:15. IDLENESS IS THE HOLIDAY OF FOOLS.—CHESTERFIELD.

The Editorial Mind

However, comma—

Odds and Ends and Comment on Our Morning Mail

If our doughboys could spend their vacations in France this year, they certainly wouldn't know the place. The devastated regions in the war zone have been rebuilt to an amazing extent.

The trenches that stretched from Switzerland to the North Sea have been nine-tenths filled in.

Four-fifths of the barbed wire has been coiled and removed.

Over 740,000 French dwellings and agricultural buildings were completely destroyed or severely damaged during the war. More than 600,000 have been rebuilt

When the German invastion started, the farms in the war zone of northern France had nearly two and a half million cattle, horses, mules, donkeys, sheep, goats and pigs. The same region today has over one and one-half millions.

And more than nine-tenths of destroyed factories have been rebuilt. Railroad mileage is virtually restored to normal.

The reconstruction work has taken more than five years.

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France is also making rapid strides at regaining her industrial strength as it existed before the war.

Last year she mined almost as much coal as in 1913, from mines in the northern section. This is a remarkable comeback, for systematic devastation of mines reduced her coal productive capacity by half. Some experts figured it would take 20 years to pump the water out and otherwise repair.

France in 1923 mined more iron ore, produced about as much pig iron and turned out more steel than in 1913.

Her freight traffic in 1923 was a bit bigger than in 1913. Similarly, her auto exports gained a half in volume. Her general export trade jumped about 22 million metric tons in 1913 to nearly 25 million in 1923, through imports correspondingly increased from about 44 million tons to 54 millions.

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This information about France's recovery as an "economic machine" is furnished by the foreign information division of the Bankers Trust Co.

The showing is so good that it will astonish most of us. It gives the lie to the propaganda that the French people have not been buckling down to work.

But France still is in the swamp up to her neck—financially. Recovery in this direction depends chiefly on the problem of reparations and terms of settlement of France's debts to her wartime allies.

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"I'd like to go on the stage," we heard the young Sheik tell the young person with the Borish Bob.

"Well," she asked, "who don't you? One leaves for Beaumont every hour."

And that reminds us—our barber says that nowadays before he goes home to supper he has to wash the rouge off his hands.

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A blessed thing, that human memory is short and time dulls the sharp edge of hatreds. When the war ended, most Englishmen were taking oaths never again to have anything to do with Germans.

It's announced that, for the first time since 1914 German vaudeville performances will again be entertainers at London music halls. The English have not exactly kissed and made up, but they are chronically diplomatic. Restoration of foreign trade with the former enemy is the English goal. And it's a shrewd plan.

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Who should pay the cost of broadcasting radio programs? For the best answer to this question, a prize of $500 will be paid by American Radio Association, 50 Union Square, New York City. If you want information, write to that address. The contest closes July 20

In England the government makes each owner of a radio enjoy set have a license. The money goes mostly to broadcasting. Such a law could not be generally enforced in our country, with millions of young radio fans, it's fairness is also disputable, though it's much like buying records for a phono-graph.

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Lilac has become the favorite American perfume, outselling all others. Jasmine is second in popularity among women, delicate violet third.

Musks and other violent perfumes have lost favor. They were invented originally to conceal the wearer's need of a bath, back in the days before running water and modern plumbing.

The greatest advance toward real civilization in the last few generations has been in bodily cleanliness.

FIRESIDE FUN

An Iowa youth who became much interested in boxing while in service, took his father to a boxing show the other night, the son willingly paying the admission.

"Now," said the son when they were well seated, "you're gonna see more action for $2 than you ever saw in all your life."

"I don't know, son," said the father, "$2 was all I paid for my marriage license."—Laughs.

DAD AT ICE FISHING

"Oh! I saw a big fish—that long—under the ice."

"Nonsense, my dear! I'm quite sure it was your reflection."—Wisconsin Octopus.

SAVING THE BOYS—SCOUT MOVEMENT CUTS DELINQUENCY HERE 85 PER CT.

In 1919 there were approximately 400 cases of delinquency among boys in Port Arthur.

In 1923 the total had dropped 85 per cent, only 60 cases being recorded for that year. The achievement is remarkable. It occasions community gratitude to the influences responsible for it.

It hardly would be correct to credit the Boy Scout movement in Port Arthur with all. Renewed interest in church; keener zest in outdoor games; hours for recreation as well as for work, all of these have exerted considerable influence.

But it must be conceded that the Boy Scout movement can claim the lion's share of the credit. Juvenile delinquency began to decrease as soon as the work got under way. And here, probably, comes the most surprising information of all—delinquency among girls has decreased in like ratio.

Each year the Scout movement has progressed has shown increased respect to their moral obligation by young boys.

Here, if ever there was a reason, is an ample one for the growth of Scout work. We polish and curry the hides of oxen, but it has only been in late years that we concede our responsibilities to youth who look to us for guidance and example.

The soul of a boy—can there be anything to compare with the worth-whileness of it, except the soul of a girl?

Wednesday the Port Arthur Boy Scout Council and representative citizens and fathers of Port Arthur, will inaugurate a campaign to reach budget requirements. Big things have been planned for the year, one of these outstanding being the location in Port Arthur of the first Sea Scout training school, which will bring a hundred or more Sea Scouts here for a period of two weeks instruction. The future success or failure of this school depends largely upon its first year. Next year it will be greater, and increasingly so as the years pass on.

In the miscellany of drives which Port Arthur people have been asked to support, the Boy Scouts, the future men of affairs, for better or for worse, have been lost sight of. The organization makes no money, is not promoted for selfish ends. Its mission is to mould boys into clean-cut, capable, thinking men. And so it depends upon the community in which it is such a regenerative influence to provide it with means to save.

This obligation lies ahead of Port Arthur—now. Carrying on of the work of another year demands it. Without it the boy program will suffer, with the danger that the boys' morals, denied of its constructive influence, will suffer with it.

Everyone will be given a chance to contribute. The Civitans, Lions, Rotary clubs and other civic organizations are taking an active part. Much of the preliminary work was completed before the aid of the general public was asked. Without it, it will fail.

MAYOR LOGAN'S PUBLICITY

In choosing a "publicity medium" for the affairs of his administration the Mayor did perfectly right in not picking on The News.

This paper never has been nor never will be the "publicity medium" for any city administration. It seeks only to print accurate and uncolored news in order that the people may be informed. The Mayor is as welcome to use the columns of this paper as any other citizen or tax payer of Port Arthur. If he has any facts regarding the city administration that the public should know The News will be glad to give him the space. That is part of the function of a newspaper. It is not the function of a newspaper however to print "publicity material" written in the Mayor's office by a paid publicity agent, the purpose of which is to 'cover up' a very rotten financial condition.

The News has contended that the city finances are in bad shape. The mayor differs with us. If the mayor can get Messrs Hall and Richardson, certified public accountants and under contract to audit the city's books, to say the city finances during the period mentioned by The News as being in 'excellent condition' as claimed by the mayor, The News will be glad to give it unusual space and display.

Whenever Mayor Logan decides to come four square before the public, the columns of The News are open to him.

Woodrow Wilson was a religios man, a stalwart presbyterian but he was not a fundamentalist. Professor W. C. Curtis of the Missouri University has made public a letter of the date of August 29, 1922 which discloses the views of the dead stateman. These are his words:

"May it not suffice for me to say in reply to your letter of August 25, that of course like every other man of intelligence and education, I do believe in organic evolution. It surprises me that at this late date such a question should be raised."

Professor Curtis of the Missouri University should send a copy of the Wilson letter to Professor William Jennings Bryan of the College of the Everglades, Florida, U. S. A.

Quillen's Paragraphs

Another good way to become a conservative is to spend a night trying to think up a way to meet the payroll.

A reformer is a man who wishes to make you as good as he would like to be.

Well, why shouldn't speech be free? Very little of it is worth anything.

It isn't considered genuine red-blooded fiction unless he gets rich in the last chapter.

If there is a Utopia, it must be a place where nobody is able to think up another law.

If a play has genuine merit, it will succeed in spite of unanimous praise by the critics.

Wives should be grateful for husbands. Even the sorriest of them serves as a good topic for conversation.

No man is equipped to serve on a jury until he can tell which of two lies is more reasonable.

An executive is a man who can take two hours for lunch without hindering production.

And now everybody looks suspicious when told that a public official has powerful friends.

If he scornfully refers to this as a materialistic age, he means that he isn't making much money.

Peanut politicians seldom succeed, however, except to the Modernist who says people have outgrown their present religion.

The telegram has one advantage. It doesn't begin a message from Chicago and butt in with a few words from Tampa.

An old-timer is one who can remember when a hostess was considered rather daring if she invited a grass widow.

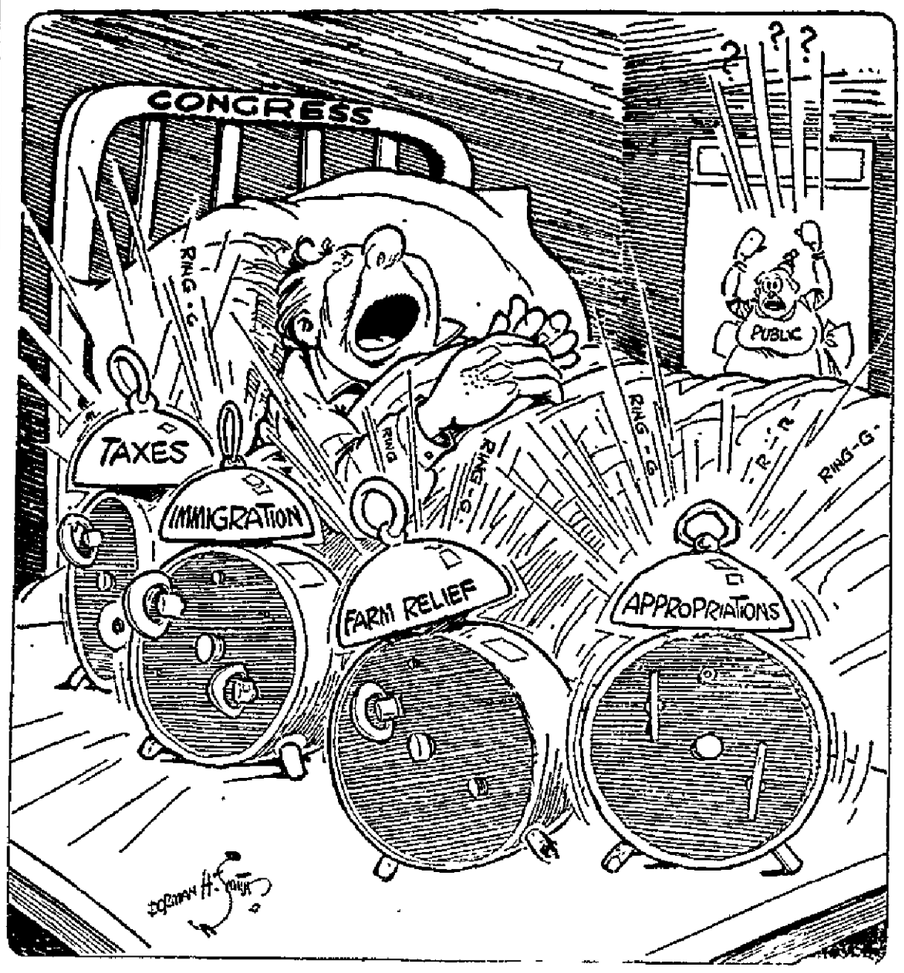
The birth rate of Europe is declining, which seems to indicate that modern infants are possessed of unusual discretion.

Lots of people think they are tolerant just because they are wrapped up in themselves and don't give a darn about the others.

Correct this sencence: "And when we are married," she cooed, "we'll just be real partners and neither one will be boss."

A well-mannered child is one that acts all the while as its parents act when company comes.

Time to Wake Up



THE FUN SHOP

By MAXSON FOXHALL JUDELL

Our Own Radio Department

The ? Box

Q. I am having considerable trouble with my static. What would you advise?—Anxious.

A. Eeat more fish.

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Q. I have an alternating current power transformer which I use to develop the necessary plate voltage. (1) Should I provide a secondary coil for heating the filament of the oscillation tube? (2) As this adds to the life of the filament, is it not better than a direct current?

—Rheostat.

A. (1) B wins, but A is absolutely correct. (2) "Ode to a Skylark," by Percy Bysshe Shelley, lines 134-141.

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"Benny," "Jo-Jo," "Red Murray," "Cornelius," and "Unhappy Father":

You don't need a loud speaker to hear Alfonso Gurgle. He was boss of a section gang before studying music.

Excelsior!

"How remarkable for such a young girl to become a famous dancing star in such a short time!"

"Well, she put her best foot forward and aimed high."

—Edmund J. Kelfer.

A spinster may truthfully say that such a thing as marriage never occurred to her.

How Much Did They Set You Back, Gelett?

Furs, furs, furs!
Women are all connoisseurs.
Furs of chinchilla, and ermane, and rat
Caracul, kangaroo, kolinsky and cat,
Trying 'em, buying 'em,
Various furs.
Wear 'em with voile or with velvet and lace.
Furs always make a sweet frame for your face.
Furs, furs, furs!
Are always in style, she avers.
Furs for the season whatever it be—May or December, in furs she must be—
Furs, furs, furs!
"Isn't mine better than hers?"
Furs of seal, sable and squirrel and sheep
Whether expensive, or whether they're cheap,
Furs, furs, furs!
Whenever, wherever she stirs
Furs, furs, furs!
Crazy they are, over furs!

—Gelett Burgess.

Folks who boast of their family trees generally neglect to mention the shady branches.

As She Likes It

Agent: "Madam, you will sink nearly out of sight in the luxurious cushions in this new car."

Lady (decisively): "No. When I ride in a new car I want to be plainly visible."—Frank Crosby.

WILD WILLIES

By George S. Chappell

Willie, cute as he can be,
Filled a box with T-N-T.
Grandpa threw the box away;
They played his favorite hymn next day.

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Willie, bless his curly head,
Put a crab in Papa's bed.
Papa found it with his feet,
But what he said I can't repeat.

Yesterday and Today

Dick: "I've lost a wealthy aunt since I saw you last."

Dan: "Wasn't her death very sudden?"

Dick: "Oh, no, but her niece jilted me."

—Barbara Mead.

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Doctor Crane's Editorial

WORK

Miss Margaret Bondfield, the recently appointed Parliamentary Secretary to the British Labor Ministry, said the other day:

"I believe every woman should know what it means to have to work for a living. I beheve that girls who are workers before their marriage are better qualified as authorities on cost of living details and as household managers than the average girl of the sheltered life. Work lends a woman poise, one of the greatest gifts of the world; one that is essential to the gaining of any disputed right.

Miss Bondfield herein has sung a song that ought to be on every talking machine record in the world.

She has preached a sermon that ought to be amplified and emphasized in every pulpit of the world.

She has set in vibration a message that ought to be sent out by radio through the earth daily.

It is an old gospel, but it seems rather difficult to find anything that is both new and true. All parents should teach it to their children, all teachers should impress it upon their pupils and every grown up soul that is looking for salvation should lay it to heart, for in it lies the redemption of the individual, the secret of happiness, the way to health and about every other good and wholesome thing that one can think of.

It is—WORK.

Work means performing some kind of service for our fellows which they are willing to pay for. Anything else that may be called work is ornamental.

And, as Miss Bondfield intimates, regular and responsible work is as necessary for women as it is for men.

The best cure for flappers is work. As a rule those who work do not flap.

The best remedy against vamps is work. For, while it can be done, it is rather difficult to work and vamp the same time.

The best medicine for dissatisfied wives is work. Probably as many women drift into one corner of the eternal triangle because of having no regular occupation as for any other reason.

That so many women past fifty become restless, soured and dissatisfied is because they have never learned any trade or profession.

And better than having any sort of life insurance money would it be, on the death of her husband, for a woman to have mastered some useful calling.

Faith is good and hope is better and love is best of all; but no one or two of them or all three of them are of much avail to the man or woman who has not learned the joy of work.

Readers are reqquested to contribute. All humor, epigrams (or humorous mottoes), jokes, anecdotes, poetry, burlesques, satires, and bright sayings of children, must be original and unpublished. Accepted material will be paid for at regular rates. All manuscripts this newspaper, and should be addressed either to the Fun Shop, or must be written on one side of the paper only, should bear name of to The Port Arthur News, Fun Shop Headquarters, Port Arthur.

Your Money AT WORK

Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments

BAD COMMERCIAL PAPER IS A POOR CREDIT FOUNDATION

Your credit in constant jeopardy will work for you no more efficiently than an employe in constant fear.

Credit is as sensitive as your neighbor's feeling. You cannot afford to be careless with either. Many men have ruined their credit and come to grief through their careless willingness to become responsible for others.

Surety is the protection the other fellow demands against the risk you are willing to take for nothing. If there were not risk involved, there would be no surety required. When men who cannot afford to lose money sign as sureties, they take chances they have no right to take. And you have no right to ask a friend to be your surety unless that friend can afford to lose the money. There are regular surety companies doing this sort of business.

The Referee

CUSTOMERS

The leading chain stores are doing a fifth more business than a year ago. Part of this represents higher prices. Part is due to their "cutting in" on individual retailers. A third cause is better business generally.

The dinner pail should be full of pie and cake this spring.

PERPETUAL

The Abbe Moreoux, French scientists, swings his telescope and finds a swirl of "star dust" so far away that it takes a million years for its light to reach us.

What the Abbe saw, therefore, was the light that left the nebula a million years ago. Another million years must pass before earthlings with their telescopes will be able to see what that far-off place is like today. If you were as far from the earth as light travels in 109 years, and had a powerful enough telescope, you'd now be looking down here and watching the Battle of Waterloo. Light takes moving pictures of everything, carries them on through space forever.

WATTY

Tom Ton of Los Angeles weighs 745 pounds. Hearing which, the circus people didn't wait to see him. They wired an offer and told him to come ahead as a sideshow attraction.

Lewis and Clarke displayed no more courage going west over a century ago than Tom Ton traveling east. You can imagine him in a Pullman corridor. Reaching New York, they couldn't get him into a taxi, so they loaded him on a truck. At the hotel, he had to use the freight elevator.

How kindly nature is, in standardizing the size of humanity with so few exceptions.

MISS ALIAS

By DOUGLAS GRANT

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Sallie Peck, employee of the Fair Deal Five and Ten, quarrels with her policeman sweetheart, Michael Curtis. That night Sallie goes into the yard to take down a washing for Ma Brennan, with whom Sallie lives. A crash shakes the earth and something strikes Sallie a blow on the head.

When she regains consciousness, the girl finds herself in strange surroundings. A French maid calls her Alva Copeland, and Madame Copeland, a tall, richly gowned woman, claims her as her step-daughter.

Sallie discovers that she has fallen into the hands of crooks and is being substituted for the real Alva Copeland.

A man-servant takes Sallie to the home of a gang of diamond thieves, because he thinks she is a member of the gang. Michael Curtis and Captain Trevor bring the police to the Copeland house.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"She chided me for breaking in on her and then wanted to know what was going on and where her daughter-in-law was. She's a Tartar!" he whistled softly.

"That must be Mrs. Stanton Copeland," the captain replied. "I'll get the doc to go up and give her something to quiet her until we can send nurses in for her and her own physician."

"The doctor says there is very little time left." Trevor had risen and stepped back to whisper urgently to Mike. "For God's sake, find out what she can tell us of the Ferret and if she knows anything of that gang!"

A bit of bright color tinged Therese's cheeks and her black eyes were brilliant, but bluish shadows were gathering about her lips and a tell-tale dampness beaded her brow.

"Who killed Sloat, Therese? Was it Qualters?" Mike bent over her once more. "What has become of the girl you had here, the one you call Bess?"

A spasm of pain crossed the woman's face.

"It was Fitch! For long have I known him even before we went abroad to bring mademoiselle home. He is young, handsome he make love to me and though I am old and ugly I—I respond. He desires that I get for him a position here—he is a footman of the best families—and last week I recommend him to madame. He is installed here when we arrive home from the wreck and almost as soon as that girl comes to her senses again I see there is something between them! They look, they whisper together here in the hall, and then while I watch he slip a note under her door!"

The doctor had come fom the bathroom with a glass in his hand and Therese sipped from it weakly and rested for a moment with closed eyes, but when they opened they flashed fire, and her voice rang out strongly.

"I think then I shall go mad! He deceive me, this Fitch? I decide that I shall discover how much he deceive me, and where he goes for an hour so late each night, when he says it is to gamble, to play the card! Saturday—Mon Dieu, was it only last night?—I follow him. A sedan waits for him around the corner—figure for yourself, a sedan for a footman!—and I am in despair, but a taxi comes and I still follow. —Doctor, it is so cold!"

"You followed where?" Trevor demanded hoarsely as Mike laid his coat gently over her.

"A long, long way through many street I do not know." The light was slowly fading from her eyes and her voice had weakened once more. "At last we come to a great park where there is a course of the golf and beyond rows of small, new houses scattered about and one great, old one of brown stone which stands by itself. It is there Fitch enters and I have not long to wait, for in 10, 20 minutes he comes from that house. This time there is no sedan and he walks, while my taxi follows once more, but we lose him. It is no great matter, for suddenly the park end and I am in the city once more near an entrance of the subway, but where I do not know. I am tired. I have learned nothing and I tell my chauffeur that we return here. When I arrive, Fitch has come before: there is a light under his door and I hear him walking—Doctor, the lights have gone out!"

"The end is near. Be quick!" the doctor cautioned in a whisper as he held the glass again to her lips.

"What happened tonight?" Mike motioned the almost distraught Trevor to silence.

"It is discover that the girl we have is a thief and still I do not believe that Fitch, too, he is criminal!" Therese's breath was coming in great gasps now. "Tonight, M'sieu Sloat he guards her door till the time comes to take her away and I myself have put the drug in her dinner that she may sleep—Fitch leave his room, he has a revolver in his hand, and one in the pocket of the hip—I watch over the stair rail—he leap upon M'sieu Sloat, he strike him down—!"

The voice ceased and only her stertorous breathing showed that Therese still lived, but she rallied once more.

"Fitch open the door—that girl, she is waiting—they go—together! What is the hour, please?"

"A quarter to two." The doctor glanced at his watch.

"It is one hour and a half that they have been gone, then, for in but 10 minutes the warning comes from M'sieu Bellows. At 25 minutes after midnight madame calls to me and I descend to receive—this!" Therese strove to lift her hand to her wounded side, but it fell back limply. "They fear that I talk, you see, though I would have kept silent, but now you know—all!"

"Not all, Therese!" Trevor cried as though by mere force of will he could hold her back from death.

"There is something you haven't told us about that house in the park, where Fitch went! Think!"

"That house? The figures, M'sieu means? The figures of stone before the door, the lion and the bull which guard?" All at once she sat up with a pinging cry: "Frederic! Frederic!"

One of the detectives had sprung forward, but all eyes were on Trevor as she slumped back upon her cushions and lay with a slight smile curving her thin lips.

"She's gone," the doctor rose. "Captain, shall I see to—?"

"Say, I know that house!" the detective who had thrust himself forward cried excitedly. "It's just beyond Van Cortlandt—an old mansion that used to be occupied by some consul or other. A bald, little old geezer lives there now—!"

"Come, then!" Mike roared and leaped for the stairs with Trevo behind him. "Bring all the men you can spare from here, Captain, for there's likely to be a battle! It's the headquarters of the gang!"

CHAPTER XII

Sallie's Apology

Sallie came to herself with a dull ache in her wrists, a throbbing pain in her head and the echo in her ears of a hoarse agonized voice which seemed to whisper over and over:

"Water! Water!"

She opened her eyes to stare up at a low, heavily beamed ceiling and slowly her gaze traveled about at ancient stone walls, a modern but damp concrete floor and a huge furnace, black and cold, which stood before her.

A cellar! How had she got here! Instinctively she tried to raise her hand to her bewildered head, but the ache in her wrists sharpened to agony and she glanced down to find that they were bound tightly together. In a flash it all came back to her; the bald, wearened old man with the cold, bright eyes who had declared that she was not Diamond Bess, her own vehement agreement with that statement and demand to be set free and the slow smile and shake of the head which answered her before the curt demand came to take her away.

"Water!"

So there was someone there, after all! Sallie turned her body over and stared, transfixed.

On a canvas cot against the wall another girl lay, a girl with a mop of coal black hair and great, burning eyes staring out of a wasted face.

"Hello!" said Sallie. "Where did they catch you?"

The other girl's face twitched in the fitful glare of the single gas jet but only the moaning reiteration escaped her lips.

"Water!"

"Well, whoever you are you look as though you needed it!" Sallie remarked. "Gotta see what I can do—Darn 'em, they've tied my ankles, too, but I ain't fastened to anything. You watch me, sister!"

She lifted her bound arms to protect her head, unmindful of the tortured wrists, and deliberately rolled off the cot, landing on the hard floor with a thud which jarred every nerve in her body and made her set her teeth to avoid screaming. For a moment she lay still until the first racking pain had ceased and then started rolling over and over toward the furnace.

A little wailing cry escaped from the other girl as she saw that Sallie was not approaching her, but the latter gasped reassuringly:

"Just be patient! I'm coming back!"

Not for nothing had she tended the furnace which Ma Brennan had so proudly installed with her first insurance money acquired through the sudden demise of Mr. Aloysius Brennan beneath a wildcat engine. To be sure the clutter of the winter's fires might have been cleared away, but Sallie judged that a household like this wasn't any too particular and where kindlings were used there was likely to be an ax to chop them. She rounded the furnace, striking her head smartly against the cold iron as she did so, but the little exclamation which escaped her was one of exultation rather than pain, for there before her lay just the implement she sought. Its blade looked dull and rusted, but she was proof against all discouragement now, and gritting her teeth as the cords cut deeply into her ankles, she maneuvered, after heaving her lithe young body to a sitting posture, to wedge the head of the ax firmly between her feet with the blade uppermost.

Bending forward, Sallie sawed away at the cords about her wrists while the pathetic moan of the other girl came faintly to her ears. The ax was more dull even than she had anticipated, but the strands separated one by one and at last her hands were free.

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Telling It To CONGRESS

GRAVY FOR RAILROADS

From the records of the United States General Land Office it appears that the following proportions of the areas of the several states were granted to the railroads: Minnesota and Washington, one-fourth; Wisconsin, Iowa, Kansas, North Dakota and Montana, one-fifth; Nebraska, one-seventh; California, one-eighth; and Louisiana, one-ninth.

—Senator Shipstead (Farmer Labor) Minnesota.

PROFITEER'S HOLIDAY

It is said our present high protective tariff law, known as the Fordney-McCumber tariff law, costs the average American farmer with a family of five $150 more annually than the benefit he receives from it.—Representative Canfield (D.), Indiana.

BLOODHOUNDS TRAIL MURDEROUS BANDIT

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 8.—Bloodhounds were placed on the trail today of a bandit who shot and killed Emmet C. Barnes, patrolman. Barnes was attempting to arrest the robber in a dry goods store. The burglar overpowered the patrolman, obtained the officer's gun and shot him.

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THE NEWS' SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD PAGE

YWCA Worker Tells Port Arthur Women How to Organize For Work Here

Miss Margaret Williamson Speaks at Luncheon Held By Federated Missions

MISS MARGARET WILLIAMSON, well known Y. W. C. A. worker spoke to a representative body of members of the Federated Missionary Society yesterday at a luncheon at the New Lakeview hotel, outlining the work of the national organization, telling the women what to expect in a local Y. W. C. A. and giving suggestions about the establishing of such an organization in Port Arthur.

According to Miss Williamson, the work of a Y. W. C. A. is divided into three groups, the first including group work or self expression in clubs; the second, an educational program, and the third group, service, which take in the physical needs, religious needs and employment of those in the Y. W. C. A.

Takes Up Physical Work

"There has been much criticism against the Y. W. C. A. recently," Miss Williamson said, "because they have no decided religious program as heretofore. But the churches have been putting on such a religious campaign, organizing schools, summer camps and other means of religious training that the Y. W. C. A. let the churches develop the religious side and the Y. W. C. A. went in for the physical education.

"The Y. W. C. A. is organized for the good girl—not the delinquent girl. But the duty of the Y. W. C. A. is to take care of the dilinquent girl until she can be turned over to proper authorities.

"Port Arthur is large enough for a Y. W. C. A., but I would not suggest that you start a cafeteria nor a boarding house immediately. Don't jump into such a huge undertaking. Feel your way about and you will accomplish more.

Makes Suggestions

"I would suggest that a finance committee be appointed whose duty it will be to make arrangements for a secretary to come to Port Arthur to get her desk room some place downtown, and to let her attempt the organization by finding out just what your needs are and work with the girls. If a secretary will come it will probably be a year before your plans will be fully materialized for establishing a boarding house. It will cost you about $2,000 or $2,500 for the secretary's salary here for the year.

"The Y. W. C. A. is an organization which stands for the fellowship of women. Its purpose is to associate young women in personal loyalty to Jesus Christ as their Savior and Lord, to promote growth in Christian character and service through physical, social, mental and spiritual training and to become a social force for the extension of the kingdom of God.

Expects Good Results

"This meeting is bound to bring forth fruit for there is so much sentiment being aroused among you women. I hope that Port Arthur will have a Y. W. C. A. within the near future."

Those present at the luncheon yesterday were Mrs. G. H. Eubanks, Mrs. John Taylor Carlisle, Mrs. W. J. Steck, Mrs. A. G. Evans, Mrs. C. T. Baker, Mrs. J. H. Burlingham, Mrs. A. F. Graham, Mrs. N. T. Fuller, Mrs. R. E. Camp, Mrs. C. W. Rogers, Mrs. T. T. Fitzgerald, Mrs. S. R. Nicks, Mrs. W. S. Thomas, Mrs. F. S. Borden, Mrs. C. E. Earhart, Mrs. H. M. Heffner, Mrs. Guy Carroll, Mrs. C. E. Weidner, Mrs. R. R. Yelderman, Mrs. Richard Allis, Sr., and the guest of honor, Miss Margaret Williamson.

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MISS BERNICE DOBBYN ENTERTAINS SATURDAY

Miss Bernice Dobbyn entertained a few friends Saturday night with a slumber party at her home, 2236 Fourteenth street. Musical selections and games were enjoyed during the evening and refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served.

Those enjoying the affair were Misses Annie Houseman, Anna Mae Morvant, Edith Farmer, Dora Matson, Charley Mae McMillan, Dorothy Beal, Bennie McMillan, Thelma Dobby and Bernice Dobby; and Mrs. A. Dobbyn.

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CIRCLE ONE TO MEET FRIDAY

Circle One of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church will meet on Friday with Mrs. A. T. Stewart at her home, 725 Eighth street, at 2:30 o'clock.

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BLUEBONNET CLUB ENTERTAINED MONDAY

Mrs. J. C. Hamilton pleasingly entertained the Bluebonnet club Monday afternoon at her home, 2720 Fifteenth street. After an enjoyable afternoon of needlework the hostess served a refreshment course.

Enjoying the afternoon were Mrs. L. R. Reed, Mrs. Frank Leverett, Mrs. R. E. Cash, Mrs. J. S. Albritton, and Mrs. J. C. Hamilton.

On next Monday Mrs. Frank Leverett will be the club's hostess at her home, 2730 Seventh street.

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MISS OWEN HOSTESS TO ELDEEN KROW SOCIETY

Miss Janice Owen was hostess to the Eldeen Krow society last evening, when she entertained the members with a delightful evening of needlework. A salad course was served.

Those enjoying Miss Owen's pleasing hospitality were Miss Valerie Pruitt, Mrs. V. C. Miller, Miss Eva Jewel Giddens, Mrs. Neal Minner, Mrs. Sam Ransom, Jr., Miss Nora Bringol, Mrs. L. G. Odom, and Miss Ola Owen.

Miss Valerie Pruitt will entertain the Eldeen Krow society next week at her home, 1021 Lake Shore drive.

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MRS. FULLER'S CLASS TO HOLD PICNIC FRIDAY

Mrs. N. T. Fuller's Sunday school class of the First Methodist Episcopal church will entertain with a picnic Friday evening at Port Neches park. The party will leave the city at 5:30 o'clock and will go to Port Neches to have supper and outing.

Arrangements are being made to call for those who have no means of getting to the park. Those who have no way to go to the park and those who have additional room in their automobiles for others are requested to telephone Mrs. F. M. Harle.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY GIVEN SATURDAY

Master Harry Martin celebrated his seventh birthday Saturday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Martin, 921 Eighteenth street. Games were enjoyed during the afternoon, following which refreshments of punch and cake were served. Master Harry received many pretty gifts.

Participating in the birthday celebration were Harry Martin, Guy Adams, Albert Adams, Louis Adams, Lily Crowe, R. A. Petrie, Harry Perry, Rodney Crowder, Earl Thibodeaux, Audrey Prejean, Leona Viator, Anson Ferrett, Calvert Crowder, Odell Thibodeaux, Billy May Prejean, Walter Petrie, C. W. Crowder, Lawrence Best, John Best, Leonard Adams, Winnie Mae Alaman, Evelyn Alaman, Albert Alaman, and Bobby Alaman; Misses Emma Ferrett, and Charley Thibodeaux, and Mrs. T. Martin.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

TUESDAY

Tuesday Bridge Club with Mrs. Pat Reed, 2707 Fourth street, 2:30 o'clock.
Council of Jewish Women at the Department Club, 3 o'clock.
Thimble Club with Mrs J. R. Nevius, 2449 Lake Shore drive, 2:30 o'clock.
Women's Self Improvement Club with Mrs. J. C. Reynolds at Griffing's Residential Park, 3 o'clock.
Pythian Sisters entertain with benefit card party at K. P. hall, 8 o'clock.
Woman's Auxiliary of Central Baptist church meet in circle formations as follows: Circle One with Mrs Ernest Hund, 2110 Tenth street; Circle Two with Mrs H. S. Hyde 2449 Tenth street; Circle Fours with Mrs. D. M. Persons, 2148 Thomas boulevard. Circle Five with Mrs R. L. Walker, 2817 Thirteenth street.
Eastern Star at Masonic hall. Initiation, 8 o'clock.
Protheon Class of First Baptist church with Mrs. C. W. Culp, 1112 Fifth street, 10 o'clock.
Tuesday Coterie at 1 o'clock luncheon with Mrs L. L. Caldwell, 2101 Seventh street.

WEDNESDAY

Wednesday Whist Club at 1 o'clock luncheon with Mrs J. P. Landes, 1517 Procter street.
Wednesday Sewing Club with Mrs. Clifford G Hall, 2048 Procter street.
Wednesday Bridge Club with Mrs J. D. Bryan, 225 Lake Shore drive, 2:30 o'clock
Priscilla Sewing Club with Mrs. M. G. Dager, 2601 Tenth street, 2:30 o'clock
Wednesday Needle Club with Mrs. J. M Foster, 2100 Thirteenth street.
Mrs J. C. Brennan entertains at bridge, 727 Sixth street, 2:30 o'clock
Circle Five of Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church with Mrs H. G. Peck, 1536 Sixth street, 2:30 o'clock.
Campfire Guardians' Association at Memorial Library, 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. V. E. Shenill Is Hostess For Bridge Luncheon

Among the hospitalities of the week was the attractive bridge-luncheon yesterday afternoon, which had as hostess Mrs. V. E. Sherrill at her home, 3131 Sixth street.

The approach of the Easter season was charmingly displayed in all appointments of the pleasing affair, with the yellow and white motif being reflected in the beautiful sunburst roses clustered about the room and in the table appointments. A tempting three course luncheon was served on the small tables, each table being centered with a cluster of the chosen blossoms. Dainty Easter favors marked each guest's place.

Three tables of players enjoyed the after-luncheon diversion of bridge, and in the games Mrs. F. E. Gifford scored high, receiving a handsome trophy, and Mrs. M. Kramer was awarded the second favor. Consolation fell to Mrs. C. T. Gunn.

The personnel included Mrs. C. T. Gunn, Mrs. C. A. McDonald, Mrs. J. M. Latham, Mrs. Charles R. Stevenson, Mrs. D. S. Stryker, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. J. K. Tooke of Beaumont, Mrs. F. E. Gifford, Mrs. M. Kramer, Mrs. V. D. Mercer, Mrs. Herschel G. Smith and Mrs. G. L. Prichard.

Assisting Mrs Sherrill in entertaining were Mrs. S. H. Ransom, Jr., and Miss Dorothy Watkeys.

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MRS. J. W. CARR TO RETURN TO KANSAS

Mrs. J. W. Carr, who has been spending the past two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Abbey of 2009 Tenth street, is expected to return to her home in Kansas City this week.

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FIFTH BIRTHDAY IS CELEBRATED

Mrs. Sidney Bourg entertained a few little friends Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5:30 o'clock in honor of the fifth birthday of her little son, Lester, at her home, 2050 Tenth street.

The home was prettily adorned with Easter emblems, and in the dining room the table was centered with a birthday cake on which gleamed five candles. Games and contests were enjoyed by the little folks and in an especially amusing contest Mary Lougenia McMillan received the first prize and Yvette Harrison the booby. Refreshments were served and the little guests were presented with Easter favors.

Enjoying the occasion were Mary Sue Taylor, Clarence Taylor, Rudolph Taylor, E. A. Wilsberly, Jr., Mary Lougenia McMillan, James McMillan, Morgan Libscomb, Chas. Fay Harrell, Elizabeth Logan, Yvette Harrison, Thomas Atzenhaffer, Arliss Buckland, Jr., Oscar Atzenhaffer, Billy Howes, Peggy Hudson and Lester Bourg.

Mrs. Bourg was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Charles Howes, Mrs. R. C. McMillan and Mrs. A. T. Atzenhaffer.

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LADIES' AID WILL MEET ON THURSDAY

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon at the Annex at 3:15 o'clock, hostesses on this occasion being Mrs. M. B. Crawford and Mrs. Walter Tate. The hour for the meeting was changed from 2:30 to 3:15 o'clock on account of the Federated Missionary society meeting on the same day at the First Christian church. The Ladies' Aid meeting will be held following the Federated Missionary society meeting.

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FATCH FAMILY MOVED TO PORT ARTHUR

Mr. and Mrs. Fatch of Orange have moved to Port Arthur to reside. Their son, George Fatch, is employed here. Mr. and Mrs. Fatch formerly lived at 212 College street in Orange.

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CORENE MEREDITH IMPROVED

Corene Meredith, granddaughter of Mrs. M. Williams of Pear Ridge is reported to be much improved after a serious illness, and has been removed to her home in Nederland.

HOW TO BE HEALTHY

BY LILLIAN LEITZEL
World's Greatest Aerial Gymnast

I began exercising when I was three.

I should have started sooner, for the best time to begin is in the cradle.

When a baby reaches out and clutches at an outstretched finger, let him pull himself up. It strengthens his little body. And later when he starts tumbling around, crawling on the floor, trying to walk, he is doing what we in acrobatics call "turning out the lower limbs." He is unknowingly training his legs, body and arms to work in unison.

Then as soon as he is strong enough let him play in water. He will take to it as naturally as a duck. This will not only prove of great benefit immediately, but will conquer that natural fear of water that bothers so many grownups.

No form of exercise is so productive of general good as swimming. It strengthens every muscle in the body, develops circulation and grace and makes for good health.

If you must have a gymnasium atmosphere to do some exercise, get a pulley device, stretching it forward and downward, touching the floor with the finger tips while keeping the legs straight.

There is one admonition I should like to give all mothers:

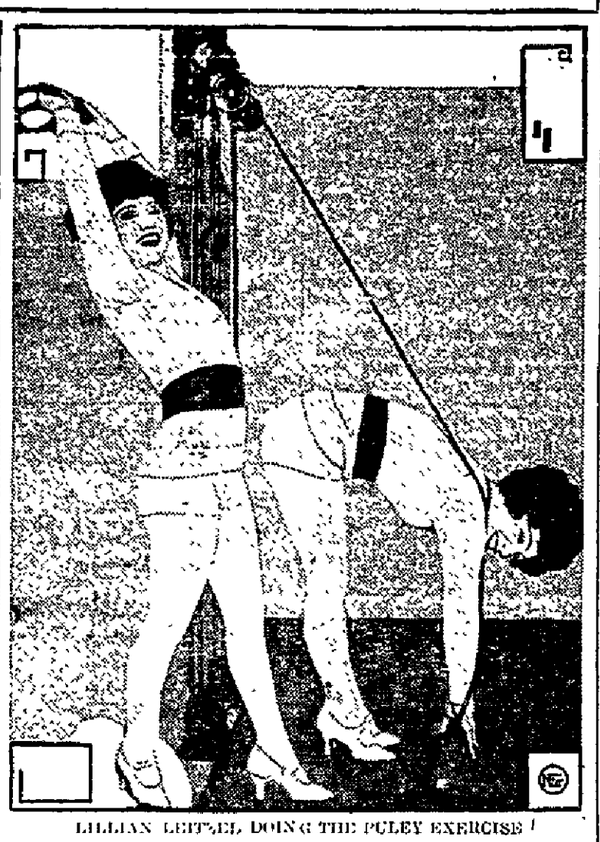
Never let your daughter wear a corset or a stay.

The human body has its own supporting muscles, which, when properly developed, are ample to support the human form. If properly exercised they will bring out the natural grace of the body without any artificial assistance.

Acrobats and other circus performers do not wear such trappings. Yet their forms are superior, for the most part, to those of the average man or woman.

Why? They have let nature develop their forms instead of corsets.

NEXT ARTICLE: Exercise and good health.



LILLIAN LEITZEL, DOING THE PULEY EXERCISE!

Miss LeMaster Is Bridge Hostess To Lady Slippers

Miss Marie LeMaster entertained at bridge last evening at her home, 315 DeQueen boulevard, the guests including members of the Lady Slippers club.

A delicate lavender theme was reflected in the artistic profusion of wisteria in baskets and vases about the rooms given over to the hospitality and in the bridge table appointments. Two tables of players enjoyed the games, in which Miss Doris Thompson received the club prize and Miss Vivian Ashley was awarded the guest favor. A salad course was offered after the games.

Players included Misses Vivian Ashley, Ruth Corbett, Doris Thompson, Isabel Davis, Allene Johnston, Folmina Vuylsteke, Nina Dowdy and Marie LeMaster.

Miss Ruth Corbett will entertain the club next week at her home, 1846 Procter street.

Texas Attorney On Trial at Milwaukee

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 8.—Edwin B. Kingsbury, Fort Worth Texas, attorney, will be tried in court here April 28 charged with using the mails to circulate prospectus based on false representations. Yesterday he won his motion to withdraw his plea of guilty entered in January.

Bail was set at $15,000 by Judge F. A. Geiger. Previous bail had been $10,000.

In filing his motion for a change of plea, Kingsbury said he didn't know the full significance of the charges when he pleaded guilty and also that he was ill at the time.

TEXAS HEN ACTS AS KITTENS' MOTHER

YOAKUM, Texas, April 8.—Krazy Kat would experience difficulties if he attempted to get a kitten from an old hen here which has adopted a tribe of young pets. The hen is mothering the kittens in an old barrel.

The United States cotton crop last year was 11,000,000 bales of 500 pounds each.

SERVICE CAR DRIVER SHOT BY PASSENGER

PARIS, Texas, April 8.—Earl Hannon, 19, service car driver, was shot and critically wounded by a passenger who drove off with his machine.

EL PASO GREETS TEXAS LUMBERMEN

EL PASO, April 8.—Texas lumbermen, 500 strong, invaded El Paso today for a three-day session. Mayor H. M. Dudley welcomed the delegates.

The Tangle

LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO ALICE HAMILTON

DEAR LITTLE SISTER:

Of course I was very much surprised when your cable came telling me of your engagement to Karl and then, thinking over the matter, I decided that I oughtn't to be surprised, for I think, my dear, you always intended to marry him.

Don't be angry at that; I do not mean it as crudely is it sounds.

Most girls intend to marry the men they do marry long before the men themselves have the slightest inkling of what is before them.

Had I never met Jack, probably some day I would have married Karl myself, but having met my husband I could of no more married any other man than I could have taken my own life.

I am sure I hope you will be very happy, Alice dear, and I see no reason why you will not, for you are going to marry one of the best men in all this world, the man who will probably live only to make you happy.

I am glad for your sake that he is rich, for I do not think that you could be very happy without money. I remember that you said as much when I married Jack.

Of course I am glad that Karl gave you another string of pearls "better than the ones he gave me," but honestly dear, I am a little bit sorry that you told me of it in your first cable. It makes me feel as though you always envied me the pearls.

When you come home if you wish them I will give them back to you as your wedding present. I have lost a few of them as perhaps you know, but because of my ignorance of their worth at first, and my knowledge of their value after, they have always been of great annoyance and sorrow to me. I really wish you would take them. I have not worn them for a great while and I would be much happier if they were not reposing in my jewel safe.

You will probably not have time to answer this letter for mother cables me that you are sailing very soon.

I know that you will be mad over my baby, Alice, he is the sweetest thing on earth.

Yesterday I am almost sure he said "Mama," although Jack laughed at me and insisted that he only had a pain in his tummy.

What a lovely time you have had this last year. You have been presented at the English court and had all the attention paid to you that any girl could wish, and now you are coming back to marry one of the nicest and richest young men in America. I hope you will appreciate your blessings.

I expect mother will cable when you start. Jack and I and the baby will try to be at the pier to meet you all.

I shall be very glad to get my family home again.

Lovingly, LESLIE.

TOMORROW: A telephone call from John Alden Prescott to Leslie Prescott.

HE 'BORROWED' CAR; GIRL CALLS POLICE

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 8.—Elmer Sill, told his sweetie he borrowed the auto in which he was taking her for a ride. The girl called police who found Elmer had "borrowed" the car without the owners permission.

'BUILDING INSPECTOR' GETS OFF WITH JEWELS

KANSAS CITY, April 8.—"I'm the building inspector," a stranger found by E. B. Thompson in his home, declared. When he had departed, Thompson found all of his money and jewelry amounting to about 150 missing.

Card of Thanks

We take this means of thanking those friends who were so kind to us during the suffering and death of our young son and nephew, and for their beautiful floral offerings we wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Bert Moss, Mrs. Ada Adams, Mrs. Estarge LeBlanc, Mrs. M. Martin and Mrs. Hollis Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Parker.
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Women should heed such symptoms as pains, backache, nervousness, a run-down condition and irregularity, as they indicate some form of female trouble. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a dependable medicine for all these troubles. For sale by druggists everywhere.

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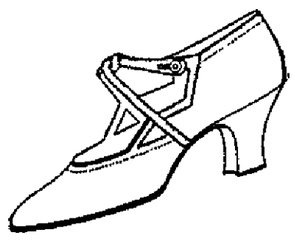

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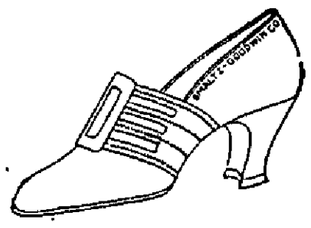

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By Smaltz-Goodwin. Made of the new shades of Bombay Suede with alligator trimming, as pictured, $12.50.

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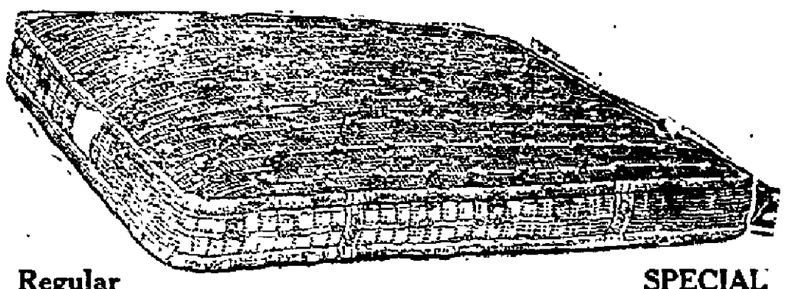

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MUSSOLINI IN GREAT VICTORY

Premier's Position Is Definitely Assured

ROME, April 8.—Premier Mussolini scored a tremendous triumph in Italy's national elections, his facisti leaders today claiming forty per cent of the entire vote.

It is certain that the facisti polled more than 25 per cent of Sunday's total vote, thus ensuring them the election of a solid parliamentary majority of 356 delegates.

With the victory thus won, fascisim reached a constitutional basis and Mussolini is assured of remaining in power virtually indefinitely unless splits should eventually occur within his own party. Under the present parliamentary regime, the premier of Italy cannot be overthrown by minority opposition parties, but only by his own party. Mussolini arranged this before the elections.

The entire fascisti organization was mobilized yesterday to get out the vote and supervise the election. Wherever the result was in doubt, fascisti pressure was brought to bear upon the lectors. Personal letters, warning the recipient that it was his duty to vote, were sent to all.

SCHOOL BOARD CANVASS VOTE

First Session Since Election Tonight

Canvass of the school board election held last Saturday to select four trustees for terms of two years, and official announcement of the results of the elections are among the items scheduled to come up at the meeting of the school board this Tuesday night.

The members of the board reelected, and Perry Pace, the only new member chosen in the Saturday elections, will be officially notified of their selection following the meeting Tuesday night, and a called meeting held within the near future, probably next week, according to school officials.

Members re-elected Saturday were A. S. Bailey, vice-president; Charles R. Stevenson and H. O. Preston.

Ford Deliveries Break All Records

DETROIT, Mich., April 8.—Retail deliveries of Ford cars and trucks in the United States during the month of March reached the record breaking total of 205,735, it was announced by the Ford Motor company here today.

Nothing in the history of the automobile industry compares with this remarkable record.

A significant feature was developed during the last 10 days of the month, when sales averaged 10,804 cars and trucks a day, indicating that the spring buying rush has begun and that under this enormous demand production of the company will be [illegible] to the limit in an endeavor to meet the heavy flood of orders.

NEIGHBORS PLOW HIS FIELD FOR SICK MAN

STAMFORD, Texas, April 8.—C. S. Snell's 27 neighbors plowed his 164-acre farm for him, when the family was stricken with illness.

PEOPLES THEATRE

Last Day

"Sporting Youth"

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Three Weeks

AILEEN PRINGLE

As she appears in Elinor Glyn's "Three Weeks," appearing at the Pearce theater.

Amusements

TUESDAY

Peoples: "Sporting Youth."
Pearce: Elinor Glyn's "Three Weeks"
Strand: "Maytime."
Elks: Melody Mart Revue, and Clara Kimball Young in "Shirley Kaye."
Liberty: Pauline Frederick and Lou Tellegen in "Let Not Man Put Asunder."
Chautauqua: Afternoon, lecture-entertainment, "From Peace Pipe to War Trail," by Nipo Strongheart, Indian chief; evening, historical comedy, "The Great Commoner," by Elias Day players.

WEDNESDAY

Peoples: "A Lady of Quality."
Pearce: Elinor Glyn's "Three Weeks."
Strand: "Maytime."
Liberty: Pauline Frederick and Lou Tellegen in "Let No Man Put Asunder."
Elks: Melody Mart Revue; and picture.
Green Tree: 'Sporting Youth."

"LET NOT MAN PUT ASUNDER"

Many new and novel lighting effects have been introduced in "Let Not Man Put Asunder," the J Stuart Blackton production at the Liberty theater today. Artistically this film is regarded as one of the greatest to be presented to the public. The sets which form a background to intensely emotional acting are marvels of technical art and ingenuity. The ultra modern method of arrangement, scene draping and painting have lifted the background of this picture to a plane far above what has been known in motion picture scenic effects.

Magnificent settings glide kaleidoscopically before the eyes presenting a screen gem under the most pleasing conditions. Charming vistas, beautiful garden spots and nooks, palatial residences, visionary ballroom effects in which dancers appear apparently from thin air and after performing dances of high and artistic merit vanish into nothingness are all part of the setting for this intensely human picture.

Pauline Frederick, Lou Tellegen, Leslie Austen and Helena D'Algy head the all-star cast, who, under the direction of Mr. Blackton, have given a performance of remarkable intelligence and emotional depth.

AILEEN PRINGLE'S CHARM
By Elinor Glyn

(Noted English novelist, author of "Three Weeks," the film version of which will be seen at the Pearce theater starting yesterday for six days).

When I came to America to produce my "Three Weeks" I was a little anxious as to where I should find an exotic type for my "Lady." So it was literally a gift from heaven when I met Aileen Pringle. I saw at once she would present the exact picture of my exquisitely distinguished queen. She has the black hair, the beautiful mysterious eyes and the white face which are identified with the character—and above all she has no "vamp" look about her.

The vulgar notion of the lady was that she was a sort of glorified adventuress out to find a nice, young man! In reality, she was a noble queen, anguished by life's cruelties, which were the keener because of her high position. Paul represented to her all that was straight, and true, and clean in manhood—and for the first time in her life she found love.

Her strange Slavonic nature, full of contrasts, is the part about her which makes her interesting. Blaa Queens are not more thrilling to the public than blaa peasants. It is the character alone which magnetizes.

The lady had a magnificent character. When she first saw Paul—such a contrast to the degraded, drunken king, she had left—she counted the cost, and then determined to pay whatever price was necessary to know even the shortest spell of happiness. The idea that she had come to find a suitable father for an heir of course never entered her head. She had refuted the king's suggestion for this with withering scorn in this sentence: "The soul of a child should come to earth through love—not be dragged there by lust or political scheming."

As her love grew for Paul, so, the thought of love's highest expression in the trinity came to her—but never by premeditation. Then when her influence over her lover has raised all his ambition and his spirit, she dies with sublime self-sacrifice to save his life—paying the price of death for her breaking of the law.

"Three Weeks" is a passionate love story—where two souls rose above earthly things—and were faithful unto death. Aileen Pringle has made a most lovely queen—dignified, subtle, stately and Slavonic.

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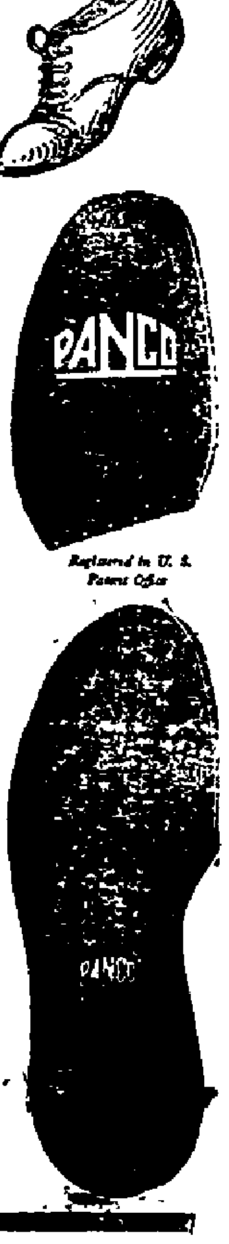

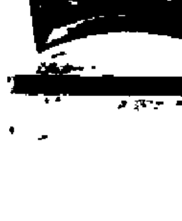

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GLOBE CIRCLERS REACH CANADA

Eager to Hop Off For Sitka, Alaska

By United Press.

PRINCE RUPERT, B. C., April 8.—America's 'round the world airmen watched the weather, eager to continue on to Sitka, Alaska, 320 miles to the northward, when conditions looked favorable for the flight.

The four planes of the world flight squadron arrived here safely from Seattle Sunday afternoon six days behind the schedule originally planned at Santa Monica, California. Early Sunday morning repairs on the propeller of the huge Douglas cruiser piloted by Major Frederick L. Martin, the flight commander, were completed. Martin took the air at 8:35, Lieutenant Erick Nelson at 8:50, and Lieutenant Lowell Smith at 8:55.

Lieutenant Wade, the fourth pilot, had difficulty in getting his plane up, but finally got away, after lightening it.

The flight to Prince Rupert was made through poor weather. It was uneventful, all arriving without difficulty.

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CHAUTAUQUA

Port Arthur Child Dies From Injury

Funeral services for John M. Parker, aged two years, nine months and one day, son of A. G. Parker, 825 Nineteenth street, were held Sunday afternoon at the home with services at Green Lawn cemetery in charge of Rev. V. A. Godbey, pastor of the First M. E. Church, South. The child died Saturday afternoon from hemorraghes of the brain following a fall off the porch at the home two weeks ago.

The Parker family formerly lived at Lake Charles, La.

FOUR YOUTHS HELD IN NEGRO'S KILLING

By United Press.

TEXARKANA, Ark., April 8.—Four white youths were araigned here for hearing today in connection with the shooting to death of Levi Williams, 65, negro. According to officers, the youths drove wildly about town while in an intoxicated condition, and shot Williams down without provocation.

BINGHAM MAKES HEARERS LAUGH

Chautauqua-Goers See Lincoln Play Tonight

Proving that his statement, "it is possible to have an evening of jokes, tunes, songs, and mirth without the slightest tinge of vulgarity," was correct to the slighest detail, Ralph Bingham, noted humorist and Chautauqua funmaker, entertained a crowded Chautauqua audience last night with his witticisms, scintillating epigrams, and humorous stories.

Exhilarates His Hearers

Declaring that the mind needs exhilaration once in a while, Ralph Bingham attempted to exhilarate the minds of his audience. He was not disappointed, for the applause and laughter which greeted his original stories was indeed great. His stories, sketches, funny impersonations, violin and piano stunts and songs were enthusiastically applauded and his responses were as heartily received. He was accompanied on the piano in his songs and violin numbers by Mrs. Bingham. His pianologue and his famous "The 'Possum Hunt" were perhaps the best features of the evening's entertainment.

Only one serious moment was witnessed by the audience during the whole evening, and it was on this occasion that Ralph Bingham took the opportunity of appealing to the men and women of Port Arthur to be one hundred per cent Americans, to be first and last for order and the upholding the laws of the American government.

Gamble Concert Party

Yesterday afternoon's program and the musical entertainment last night were given by the Ernest Gamble Concert Party, composed of Mr. Gamble, Miss Verna Leone Page, and Miss Martha Reed, who entertained with their vocal and instrumental numbers.

Tonight the greatest and most successful of all Lincoln plays, "The Great Commoner," will be presented by a professional cast, the Elias Day Players, coached under the personal direction of the author, Ralph Thomas Kettring. This historical comedy drama is said to be an inspiring and highly idealized conception of the great American. Historically correct as to dates, events, and places, whimsical humor threading the more serious dramatic incidents, it is reputed to be a big, brilliant, vivid drama, presented with scenic effect by prominent players who live again the stirring, thrilling days of the civil war.

7,000 PRODUCE CARS SHIPPED FROM VALLEY

McALLEN, Texas, April 8.—Nearly 7,000 cars of produce have been shipped from the valley during the winter and spring season. More than 100 cars of citrus fruits were included in the shipments.

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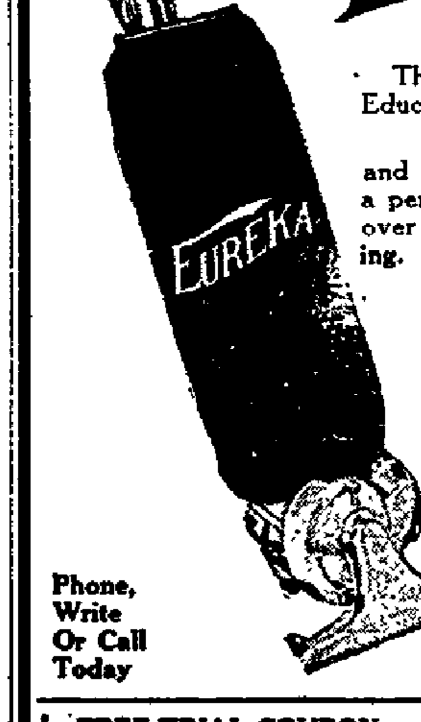

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK

At Port Arthur, in the State of Texas, at the close of business March 31, 1924

RESOURCES

1.	a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with endorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c) $1,361,085.76		
	b Acceptances of other banks rediscounted	75,000.00	
	Total loans		1,436,085.76
2.	Overdrafts, secured, none; unsecured $309.17		309.17
4.	U. S. Government securities owned:		
	b All other United States Government securities (including premiums, if any)	256,146.25	
	Total		256,146.25
5.	Other bonds, stock, securities, etc.		40,100.00
6.	Banking House	59,499.67	
	Furniture and Fixtures	16,553.68	76,053.35
8.	Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		110,076.55
9.	Items with Federal Reserve Bank in process of collection		22,791.91
10.	Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		397,888.39
13.	Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12)		27,974.08
	Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13 $448,654.98.		
14.	a Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) located outside of city or town of reporting bank..........	4,120.50	
	b Miscellaneous cash items	3,370.24	7,490.74
	Total		$2,375,012.80

LIABILITIES

17.	Capital stock paid in			$ 100,000.00
18.	Surplus fund			100,000.00
19.	Undivided profits	$60,614.85		
	a Reserved for interest and taxes accrued	$8,503.47	$69,118.32	
	b Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid		24,169.03	44,949.29
24.	Certified checks outstanding			150.00
25.	Cashier's checks outstanding			11,729.89
	Total of Items 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25 $11,879.89			
26.	Individual deposits subject to check			1,576,355.39
27.	Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)			16,404.15
28.	State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond			400,412.40
	Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31 ....$1,993,171.94			
32.	Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)			124,979.68
	Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 32, 33, 34 and 35 ....$124,979.68			
44.	Liabilities other than those above stated			32.06
	Total			$2,375,012.80

State of Texas, County of Jefferson, ss:

I, E. P. Tucker, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. P. TUCKER, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of April, 1924.

R. L. RUTAN, Notary Public, Jefferson Co., Texas

CORRECT—Attest:
G. T. CRAIG
G. E. M. CRAIG
H. F. BANKER, Directors.

RECAPITULATION

Resources	
Loans and Discounts	$1,211,085.76
Stocks, Bonds, Bankers Acceptances and Commercial Paper ...	521,246.25
Banking House, Furniture, Fixtures	76,053.35
Overdrafts	309.17
Cash and Sight Exchange	566,228.27
Total	$2,375,012.80
Liabilities	
Capital Stock	100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	36,445.82
Reserved for Interest, Taxes, etc.	8,503.47
Deposits	2,130,063.51
Total	$2,375,012.80

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Port Arthur Heights and Bruins Tie Up in 8-8 Finish When Sandlotters Tangle On Lakeshore Diamond

Jack Burns Meets Scotty Ferguson in Finish Match Friday Eve

Light-Heavyweights To Wrestle In Club

WRESTLING has come back after a rest of several weeks. Fans have been urging for another bout—so Friday evening they're going to witness one in the Port Arthur Athletic Club's arena, When Jack Burns of Beaumont, light-heavyweight artist who is well-known in this city, appears against "Scotty" Ferguson, formerly of Mexia, but who is now making his home in Port Arthur.

Ferguson, since his arrival in Port Arthur several months ago to make his home here, has made many friends in the city, and has aroused considerable comment among the mat followers, who have been anxious to see him work. They're going to get that opportunity Friday evening.

Promoters in charge of the bout have expressed the belief that Ferguson and Burns will be well-matched, and that their melee scheduled for the Athletic club's arena will be full of excitement.

Signed Up Monday

Both men were secured on the dotted line yesterday, and officials of the match announced:

"It will revive the game that has been resting for a few weeks, and bring a couple of husky fellows together on the floor. They ought to make the weltons ring' when they mix up.

"Ferguson has a good record behind him, and has wrestled and defeated some clever boys. Likewise Burns, who has been wrestling for some time, has mixed up with some of the best, and Jack knows his stuff."

Work Out at Club

The two wrestlers will take advantage of the Port Arthur Athletic club's gymnasium this week for training purposes, and it is understood Vic Miller, retiring welterweight champion, and who has appeared here numerous times as third man in the ring, will probably assist one of the huskies in his training work.

Burns has appeared several times in neighboring communities since the inception of the new year, and reports on him show that he has been hitting a wide stride, exhibiting some clever wrestling ability. Burns has won practically every match he has entered this season, and while wrestling is not a major profession with the big fellow who hails from the Nawth End, it is a major sport with him, and he follows the game purely for his love of its excitement.

Willing to Wrestle

Ferguson announced upon his arrival here that he was about ready to retire from the game, and he has gone into business in the city for himself, practically giving up the mat; but he intimated recently that if the fans really wanted to see him work, he would be glad to appear in any number of matches, and would get into condition. He is in trim now, and Friday evening will introduce him to the host of Port Arthur mat followers who have not yet seen him work.

The card will include several fast prelims, and will get under way about 8 o'clock.

BILLY EVANS SAYS

While the lively ball has been the source of much satisfaction to the batters and a great disappointment to the pitchers, it has also played a part in the work of the umpires.

The lively ball has considerably lightened the duties of the base umpire and proportionately increased the task of the man back of the plate.

Before the day of the lively ball, good pitching made for easy work for the plate umpire. One run decided many a ball game, and a majority of them were settled on the bases. This kept the base umpire busy.

The steal and the sacrifice make for close plays.

The lively ball has of course taken the premium off base running, also the sacrifice system of play. This lessens close plays on the bases and correspondingly brings more batters to the plate, making more work for the plate umpire.

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Ten years ago every base runner tried his best to get a long lead off first base when he reached the initial sack. The gain of a few feet often made successful an attempted steal and aided in the chance to advance on a sacrifice.

Pitchers in an effort to cut down this lead and hold the runner on, made many throws to first base. The timing of this play is such that a close decision is almost certain to be the result on every ball thrown over.

Well do I recall a game in which Ed Walsh threw over to first base an even dozen times in an effort to catch the late Herman Schaefer napping. I was umpiring the bases and every decision was so close that it could almost have been given either way.

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In the old days when Ty Cobb reached first base it behooved the base umpire to be up on his toes just as much as the opposition, if he didn't want to be caught napping.

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In this connection I recall the experience of George Hildebrand, American league umpire. He came from the Coast League and broke into the majors as my partner.

Prior to meeting the Detroit club, Hildebrand often discussed Cobb and his base running ability with me. He had never seen Cobb in action but had read much.

It so happened that Cobb had one of his big days the first time Hildebrand saw him in action. He was umpiring the bases. Cobb stole three bases, stretched a single into a double and in general ran wild.

After the game in our dressing room, I asked Hildebrand what he thought of Cobb, if he came up to all the advance stuff he had read on him.

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"I should say he did," replied Hilderand, "why that is the hardest game I ever had in all my life. That one guy gave me more tough decisions today than I had all last season in the Coast league."

Quite a tribute to Cobb and the part base running plays in the life of an umpire.

AGGIE NETMEN WIN FROM FROGS, 4 TO 2

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, April 8—The Texas Aggies' tennis team defeated the courtmen of Texas Christian university here, winning four of the six matches. The Aggies were victorious in three of the four singles and one of the two doubles.

Singles: Rounds, A. and M., defeated Newcomb, 6-1, 6-4; Busch, T. C. U., defeated Darby, 6-1, 6-1; Hinman, A. and M., defeated Tubbeville, 6-4; Underwood, A. and M., defeated Tomlinson, 6-8, 6-3, 6-2.

Doubles: Newcomb and Busch, T. C. U., defeated Rounds and Darby, 3-4, 6-6, 6-4; Hinman and Underwood, A. and M., defeated Tomlinson and Tubbeville, 6-4, 1-6, 6-1.

DE PALMA OUT OF 500-MILE RACE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 8.—Ralph de Palma will not drive in the twelfth annual 500 mile automobile race at the Indianapolis speedway May 30, it was announced here. He has been disqualified by the American Automobile association, governing body of the gasoline, for participating in unrecognized race meets on dirt tracks in California during the winter.

De Palma, known to race fans as the "hard luck driver," because of his numerous mishaps, won the 1915 event, and has participated in all the 500-mile contests here except in 1916.

WRESTLING MAJOR SPORT AT NEBRASKA

LINCOLN, Neb., April 8—Wrestling has been a major sport at the University of Nebraska, the committee on joint awards has announced. The action was taken when revisions were made in practically every branch of college sport raising qualifications for letter awards. Wrestlers will rank with track, football, baseball and basketball men.

Nebraska mat men won the western intercollegiate and Missouri valley championships this season

BRECKENRIDGE WINS FROM THURBER NINE

BRECKENRIDGE, Texas, April 8.—The first pre season game played by the T. P.'s of Taurber and the Dynamos of Breckenridge at Breckenridge resulted in a victory for the visitors in a score of 4 to 2.

The oil belt schedule of 40 games opens April 13.

BOXES FOR OLYMPIC

NEW YORK, April 8.—Released by Atlanta promoters from an engagement on the same date, Young Stribling, Georgia light heavyweight, will appear in a six round bout on the Olympic fund benefit card here on April 29. His opponent may be Mike Burke, New York.

Canadian Star Sets Record

I. E. FRANCIS

I. E. FRANCIS of Toronto University is one of Canada's most likely prospects for the pole vault in the Olympic games. He recently cleared the bar at 12 feet 2 inches, breaking the record of Dominion universities.

PAAC SQUAD TO TRAIN AT PARK

Work Out This Afternoon At 5 O'Clock

Members of the Port Arthur Athletic Club baseball nine will report at Cosmopolitan Park this afternoon for their third practice of the season, and the team which will be used by the club will probably be announced tomorrow following today's practice.

Gates of the park will be opened at 5 o'clock, and all members of the squad are expected out for training, which will be conducted in the form of infield, outfield and batting practice for a period of one hour.

The contingent is looking good, and promises to develop into one of the flashiest nines in the community. No announcement as to when their first game of the season will be played, but it is probable a practice clash will be scheduled for the coming Sunday.

MINERAL WELLS IS WINNER IN OPENER

MINERAL WELLS, April 8.—Mineral Wells won its first baseball game of the season at Weatherford by the score of 11 to 0. The game was well played for an early season game, the club showing up much better than Coaches McClelland and Ross expected. Remington pitched the entire game for Mineral Wells, allowing only four hits.

VERMONTERS HAND ANNAPOLIS LICKING

ANNAPOLIS, April 8.—With Captain Newton twirling effectively, University of Vermont defeated Annapolis midshipmen on the diamond here 9 to 4. It was the navy's opening game of the season. Games scheduled previously with Bowdoin and Amherst were cancelled on account of bad weather.

SHERMAN WINNER OF GRAYSON CO. MEET

SHERMAN, Texas, April 8.—Sherman won the track and field meet of the county Interscholastic league, scoring 69 points to Denison's 40 1-2 and Whitewright's 20. Hume of Sherman heaved the shot 40 feet and one-half inch. Winners will go into the district meet.

CISCO HIGH SCHOOL BOY SHATTERS RECORD

EASTLAND, Texas, April 8.—A Cisco boy broke the interscholastic high jump record, which was broken at the Eastland county meet when Darland Sheppard of Cisco High school cleared the bar at 6 feet.

The record is 5 feet 10 7-8 inches. Sheppard won first place at the state meet last year. He was also high point man of the meet with 14 1-2 points.

Governor Likes His Barnyard Golf

FRIEND RICHARDSON

"REGULAR golf takes too much of a man's time, that's why I favor the barnyard variety," says Governor Friend Richardson of California. Pitching horseshoes is the governor's relaxation. He has several lanes installed in the rear of his home.

FARRELL SEES YANKS WINNING

American League and World Champions Stronger

BY HENRY L. FARRELL
United Press Sports Editor

NEW YORK, April 8.—With no changes in the team that has won the American League championship three times running, the New York Yanks are better fixed perhaps for the 1924 race than they were last year.

The team ought to be improved by the acquisition of confidence from their decisive victory over the Giants in the world's series and by the improvement that experience might be counted to have brought about in several young pitchers.

The real power of the Yankee Club can be realized from the fact that the club has a $50,000 ball player, Earl Coombs, who may not be able to break into the lineup. Coombs is an outfielder and his only chance for a regular job is to beat out Whitey Witt for the place in centerfield.

Have Strong Infield

With Pipp, Ward, Scott and Dugan, the Yanks have one of the best infield combinations in the major league.

Pipp is one of the finest players in baseball and it is only a meek, retiring disposition that has prevented him from getting the credit that is due a player of his ability. Ward ranks next to Eddie Collins as the best second baseman in the league. Collins is slipping and Ward is just getting a good start. Dugan is the greatest third baseman in the game. Scott is regarded as doubtful for another hard season but the chances are that he will come through again.

Claim Reliable Outfield

Ruth, Witt and Meusel form a reliable combination in the outfield. Witt is a hard working player, and a good leadoff man. Nothing need be said of Ruth and Meusel. Their class has been long established.

Schang and Hoffman will do the bulk of the work behind the bat. Schang isn't young any more but he is invaluable because he has worked so long with the star pitchers of the staff.

The great strength of the Yankees is found in the pitching staff with Hoyt, Jones, Pennock, Bush, Shawkey and a couple of good youngsters.

Young Stribling Also Golfs, Dresses Part

YOUNG STRIBLING

YOUNG Willie Stribling, "the uncrowned lighth heavyweight champion" also shoots a wicked game of golf. You see him here nattily dressed in the act of playing an iron shot to the green. Stribling uses golf as part of his training routine and finds it beneficial.

POSTPONE TRIALS IN NORTH-SOUTH CLASH

PINEHURST, N. C., April 8.—Finals of the North and South amateur golf championship tournament was again postponed on account of rain. The final 18 holes of the qualifying rounds have been called off twice because of bad weather.

INTENSIVE BATTING

NEW ORLEANS, April 8.—Intensive batting practice is Manager Tris Speaker's menu for the Cleveland Indians from now until a week from today when the tribe meets the Tigers in the opener.

KINSELLA AGAIN WINS SQUASH TENNIS TITLE

NEW YORK, April 8.—Walter Kinsella of New York successfully defended his title as American squash tennis champion when he defeated William Ganley of Rye, N. Y., in the final match of the national championship, 15-10, 15-3, 15 0.

Michigan Regards Carl Johnson As Its Greatest All-Round Point Maker

ANN ARBOR, Mich., April 8.—Many great athletes have been turned out in Western Conference circles since the organization of that body. Quite a few have made Olympic competition and carried America's colors triumphantly. For instance, the names of Ralph Craig, Johnny Garrels, Archie Hahn, Arlie Mucks, Hugo Dismond are all names to conjure with on track and field.

But glancing down through the years, it is doubtful if the Big Ten has ever developed an all-around athlete to compare with Carl Johnson, former University of Michigan star.

Johnson was a celebrity of the first magnitude. For three years—1917-18-19—he was the outstanding figure in the collegiate world. Without a doubt he was best and most versatile chap America has seen since the days of Alvin Kraenzlein, the old Penn luminary.

Johnson was a sprinter, hurdler, high and broad jumper. He was good in all of these events. And then some! His favorites were the high and broad jumps.

He had his best season in 1919—his last as a college athlete. In the Western Conference indoor meet that year Johnson won three firsts, the 60-yard dash, high hurdles and the high jump. In the sprint he tied the world's record of 5 2-5 seconds.

At the Big Ten outdoor games, in June of the same year, Johnson grabbed four first places. He took the high and low hurdles and the high and broad jumps. In the last two named events he hung up new conference records—high jumping, 6 feet 2 1-4 inches, and broad jumping, 24 feet 1 inch. The high sticks he made in 15 2-5 seconds and the low in 25 flat. Michigan won first place that season with some 44 points, Johnson scoring 20 of them himself.

Kraenzlein was a sprinter, hurdler and broad jumper. Johnson went him one better, adding the high jump to his list.

At Michigan track followers still talk of the feats of Carl Johnson, generally considered as the best all-around athlete the Maize and Blue has ever had, as well as one of the best turned out in American universities.

MERIDIAN COLLEGE WINS OVER TARLETON

MERIDIAN, Texas, April 8.—Meridian college made a clean sweep of the two-game series with John Tarleton here, winning 7 to 5. Meridian won Friday's game, 3 to 2. These are the first games to be played in District No. 2 of the Junior college conference. Meridian college has a fast team this year and is after the state title in the little conference.

Batteries — Meridian: A Leach, Bradshow, J. Hinton and Whitlock; John Tarleton: Stratton, Jennings and Abbott.

PAUL STILL GOING

BUFFALO, April 8.—Paul Berlenbach, New York middleweight, knocked out Jack Stone, Brooklyn, in the fifth round.

THE NUT CRACKER

Should a golfer drink? asks Joe Kirkwood in a magazine article. . . . And, of course, the answer is, "Yes, if he can get it."

Young Stribling is said to be nothing more than a school boy and yet it appears that he taught Mr. McTigue plenty.

Although beaten in 12 rounds out of 12, McTigue still has his title, but will the gentleman who picked up two loose ears, five slightly soiled teeth and a somewhat rumpled eyebrow kindly return them to the champion at the box office?

The Chicago Cubs have organized an orchestra, but the music of the zooming base hit is still sweetest to the fans' ears.

Speaking of baseball puzzles, can anyone tell us why players like Slim Harris and Claude Jonnard carry bats to the plate?

The news that a referee was bribed to take Harry Greb's title away is interesting because it shows there is at least one other guy in the world willing to pose as middleweight champion.

They've put chess on a paying basis in New York and the remarkable thing about it is that it was done without the aid of a jazz orchestra or a group of fast stepping chorus girls.

America will not be able to enter a billiard team in the Olympics. . . . Well, the boys might as well call the whole dern thing off.

It is said Mlle. Paulette Berger of Paris has the most beautiful hands in the world. . . . We'd like to back her in a poker game.

Perhaps the reason the dear ladies refuse to abolish the stymie is that it would leave them with one less thing to argue about.

In order to observe the Sabbath the mayor of Philadelphia has given up golf. . . . The question naturally arises: how does one distinguish the Sabbath from any other day in that town?

RESUME PLAY

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 8.—Play in the exhibition series between the New York Giants and the Chicago White Sox, was resumed here today.

OUTPOINTS BOBBY

TRENTON, N. J., April 8.—Joe Marks, Philadelphia, outpointed Bobby Michaels, New York, in a 10-round bout.

CANADIAN WINS

NEW YORK, April 8.—Tonie Tait, Canadian lightweight champion, won a 12-round decision from Phil Ellis, Newark.

OKLAHOMA KID BACK

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 8.—It took Oklahoma Kid Harvey, heavyweight, 45 seconds to knock out Jack McCarthy of Chicago in the main event here last night.

Sandlotters Tie-Up In 10-Frame Battle

Coming from behind after the Heights had taken an early lead, the Port Arthur Bruins tied up their opponents in one of the most bitter sandlot battles played here this season when the two contingents clashed Sunday afternoon on Lakeshore diamond, playing 10 inning and winding up 8 to 8.

The game was very interesting and was witnessed by a number of fans. The score by innings:

Heights .....202 120 001 0—8 7 5
Bears .....102 040 100 0—8 7 5

Crenshaw, LeBlanc, DeLord and Riley; Pete and Trow.

SAN ANTONIO GIRL IN ORANGE JACKETS

AUSTIN, Texas, April 8—Bernice Milburn, of San Antonio, has been elected and initiated into the Orange Jacket organization of the University of Texas. The organization is composed of 20 girls, and Miss Milburn is the first member to be added since the group was organized last year.

Miss Helen Knox, of Waco, who was the first T girl of Texas, and Miss Milburn, were honor guests at a luncheon given by the Orange Jackets recently.

Bernice Milburn is a senior in the university, and has made an enviable record as a student. She is a member of Theta Sigma Phi, journalistic fraternity, and of the Tevette orchestra, a musical organization of talented university girls.

OF AUGUSTA TOURNEY

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 8.—William T. Tilden II, of Philadelphia, won the finals and the championship in the men's singles of the South Atlantic states tennis tournament at the Country club here from Lawrence Rice of Boston, 6-1, 6-3, 6-4. Last night he challenged Cedric Major and Allen Behr to meet him in a doubles match tomorrow morning. Tilden will play them singlehanded.

HOUSTON CLUB WILL TRY TO ENJOIN STRONG

HOUSTON, Texas, April 8.—Houston club owners will seek an injunction to restrain Harry Strong from playing with the Racine club of the Midwest league if Strong, who recently jumped a local contract, appears in a Racine uniform. Strong was bought by Houston from Beaumont for several thousand dollars, inasmuch as he reported to the Buffs and signed a contract, Houston is obligated to pay for him.

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Giant Pitcher Looks Better At First Base

NEW YORK, April 8.—Only the fact that he needs pitchers and has a competent first baseman in George Kelly keeps Manager McGraw of the New York Giants from using Pitcher Jack Bentley at the initial corner.

Bentley likes to play first base. Bentley does not like to pitch. Manager McGraw knows just how Bentley feels about it, would like to shift him to first base, but weakness in the pitching department keeps him from doing so.

Bentley is a dangerous batsman. He proved that conclusively in his National league debut last season. While Bentley is not a great pitcher, his style is peculiarly effective against certain clubs, and McGraw picked the spots for him last summer to great advantage.

During his days of starring for the Baltimore club, in the International league, Manager Dunn handled Bentley much as McGraw is doing, except that he always used Bentley as a first baseman when not pitching him. One year while pitching against clubs that were soft for him Bentley only last one game in the International league.

Were not George Kelly such a good fielder and dangerous hitter, McGraw would probably use Bentley exclusively at first base.

It is a rather interesting fact that Babe Ruth and George Sisler, two of the outstanding stars of the American league, entered that organization as pitchers, only to be played elsewhere regularly because of their hitting ability.

Exhibitions

FORT WORTH— R H E
St. Louis (A) 9 13 2
Ft. Worth (Texas) 3 10 2
Pruett, Bayne, Grant and Collins; Pate, Johns and Moore. (Fourteen innings.)

JACKSONVILLE— R H E
St. Louis (N) 1 5 0
Syracuse (Int.) 0 5 1
Sherdel, Doak and Vick; Holm, Reinhart, Barnes, Hill and McKee.

KNOXVILLE— R H E
New York (A) 17 19 0
Brooklyn (N) 4 9 3
Shawkey, Hoyt and Schang, Hoffman; Vance, Henry, McPhee and DeBerry.

GALVESTON— R H E
St. Joseph (Western) 4 13 0
Galveston (Texas) 1 4 0
Burgenstock, Atlove and Minetree; Gleason, Crumpler and Anderson.

CHATTANOOGA— R H E
New York (N) 5 7 3
Chicago (A) 3 7 1
Huntzinger, Fearin and Gowdy; Blankenship, Davenport, McWeeny and Schalk.

ATLANTA— R H E
Cincinnati (N) 12 15 0
Detroit (A) 4 8 1
Donohue, Sheehan and Wingo; Dauss, Pillette, Cole and Bassler.

MEMPHIS— R H E
Boston (A) 7 10 1
Memphis (S A) 5 7 4
Fullerton, Ulrich, Fuhr and O'Neill; Sedgwick, Youngblood, Foulkes, Reid and Kohlbecker.

OKLAHOMA CITY— R H E
Chicago (N) 17 16 2
Oklahoma City (W) 15 19 2
Hoffman, Keene, Pierce, Osborne and O'Farrell; Howard, Brown and Spencer.

KANSAS CITY— R H E
Pittsburg (N) 2 9 1
Kansas City (A A) 1 8 0
Meadows and Smith; Zinn and Skiff.

DALLAS— R H E
Minneapolis (A A) 8 10 2
Dallas (Texas) 9 11 6
Morrisette, McGraw, Brogan and Mayer; Andrews and Adams.

GARNER WILL MOUNT ON WISE COUNSELLOR

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 8.—Jockey Mack Garner has been engaged to ride Wise Counsellor in the Kentucky derby, it was announced today. The John S. Ward crack three-year-old, one of the main reliances of the West in the annual renewal of the classic, was given his first trial over a mile distance this year at Churchill Downs. He covered the distance in 1:48 2-5 under restraint.

Black Gold, winner of the Louisiana derby and picked by many turf students to finish first in the Kentucky derby, is being permitted to take it easy at present. Trainer Charles Akers sends him for a mile and one-half gallop, but he is so far advanced in training there is no call for strenuous work.

ARTHUR HAVERS WILL MEET GENE SARAZEN

NEW YORK, April 8.—Arthur Havers, British open golf champion, who defeated Bobby Jones, American open champion, at Atlanta, will meet Gene Sarazen, holder of the United States professional title, at Rye, N. Y., April 27. Sarazen won an unofficial world's professional championship from Havers earlier in the year.

EASTLAND HIGH SCHOOL WINS COUNTY EVENTS

EASTLAND, Texas, April 8.—In the county meet Eastland high school won first with 68 1-2 points. Cisco was second with 53 points; Ranger third with 32 1-2 points.

Eastland won all-around championship in all contests in class B.

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Yale Captain Is Versatile

CHARLIE O'HEARN

CHARLIE O'HEARN, famous Yale athlete, will captain the varsity baseball team this year. O'Hearn is also a star at football and hockey.

PILOT POINT WINNER OF DENTON MEET

DENTON, Texas, April 8.—The junior and senior track and field events were won by the Pilot Point High school in the annual county interscholastic league meet which was completed here.

Denton boys and girls won in debate and Denton boys won in the tennis singles and doubles.

WASHINGTON U. COPS VANDY TRACK MEET

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 8.—Washington university overwhelmed Vanderbilt university of Nashville, Tenn., in a dual track meet here. The score was 85 to 50.

Lu Blue Decides To Let Umpires Run the Game

By NEA Service.

AUGUSTA, Ga., April 8.—Lu Blue is through. Absolutely and positively. Arguing with umpires is like eating bichloride of mercury and trying to stay healthy. This is Mr. Blue's sentiment.

"This season I am going to play ball and let the umpires run the game," declares the Tyger's first baseman. "It may be tough on them but I guess they can get along without my help."

Blue, imbibed with the aggressive spirit typical of the Tygers, has been a trouble maker for umpires ever since he has been in the majors.

"I think I can play better ball if I lay off of them and pay strict attention to my own job," he says.

Boy Scouts Buy 28-Foot Cutter

Fully equipped as though for service aboard a battle ship, two 28-foot cutters to be manned by 10 oarsmen each have been ordered from the U. S. navy department by the Port Arthur Boy Scout council for the sea scouts here, according to word from scout headquarters today.

The boats are expected to be delivered to Port Arthur within the next 30 days, and will bring the number of boats in the Port Arthur sea scouts fleet up to six crafts, scout officials said. The sea scouts here now have two 18-foot boats; a 15-foot racing sailboat, and one 24-foot sail boat.

Two of the instruments shown in this photo are necessary only to the bomber—the bomb-sight control and the bomb torpedo control.

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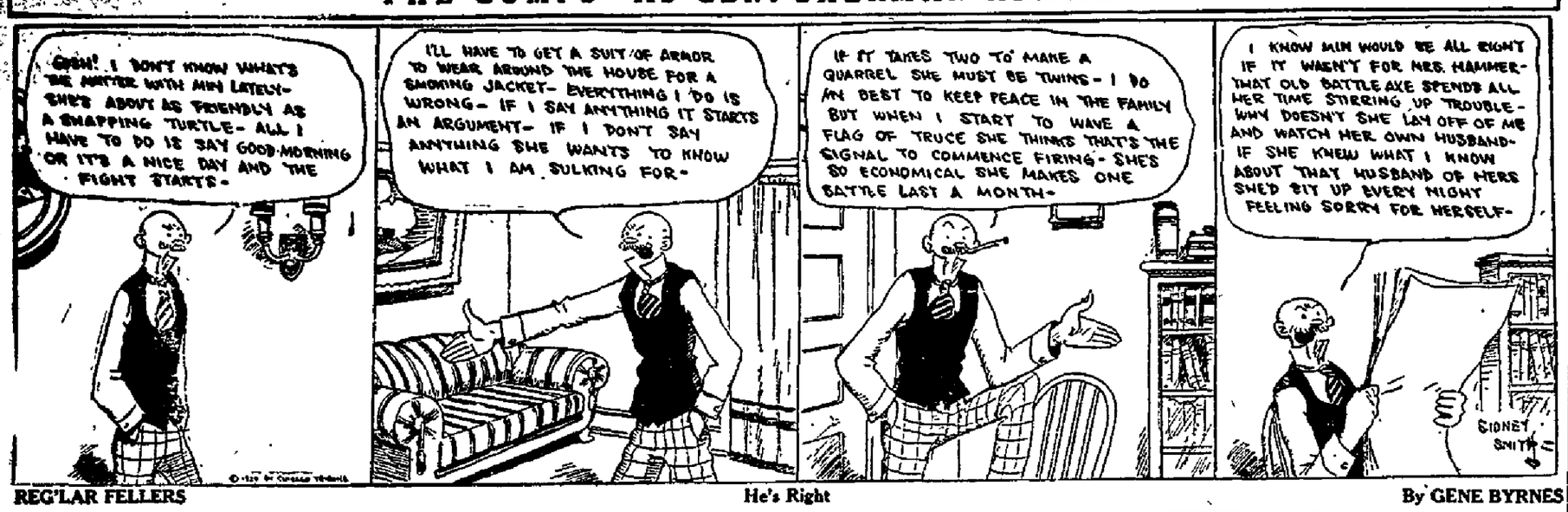

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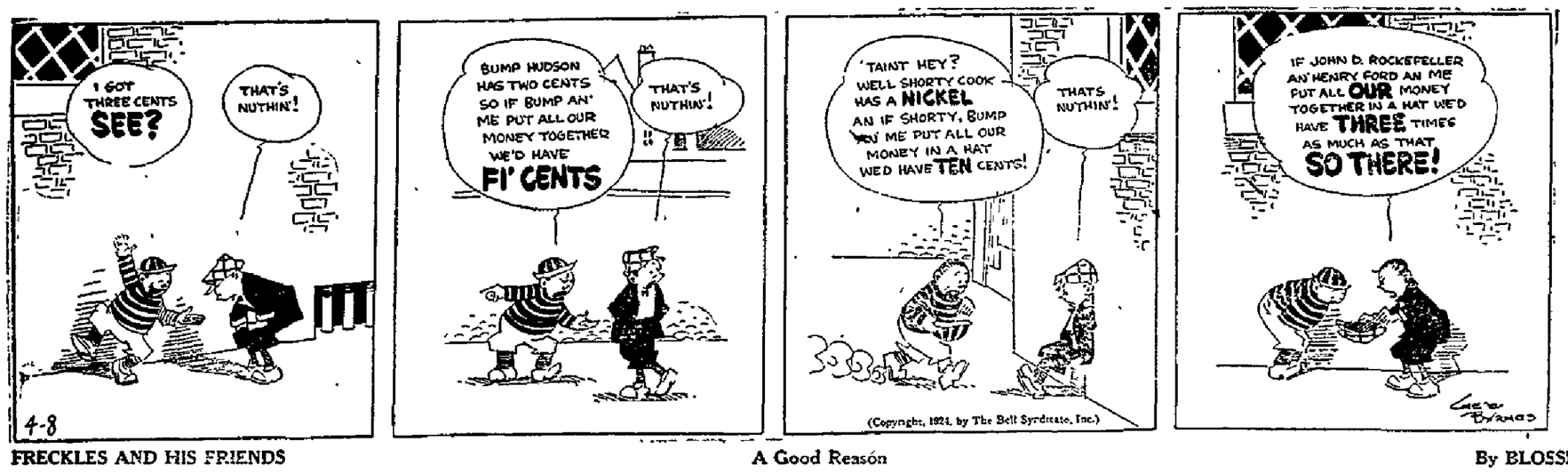

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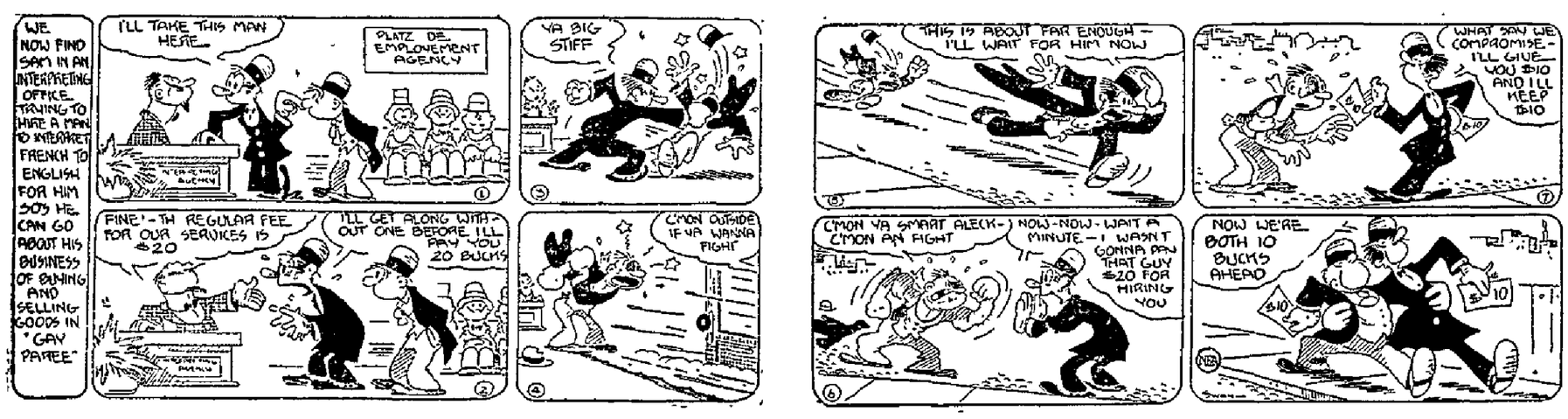

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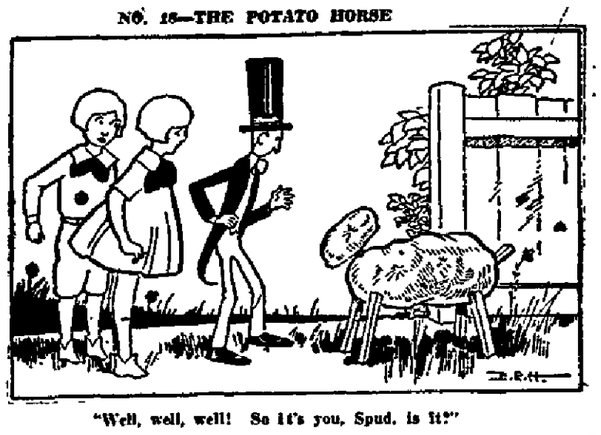
ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

NO. 18—THE POTATO HORSE



"Well, well, well! So it's you, Spud, is it?"

Along the road of Doofunny Land skipped Nancy and Nick and Mister Fuzz Wuzz singing:

"We're so happy and so gay
We could throw ourselves away,
But we'd come back in a hurry,
So you really needn't worry."

"What's that? What's that?" cried a sour voice beside them. A very sour voice!

"We were just saying," said Nick, "that we were very happy."

"But you've gone and spoiled it all!" declared Nancy. "Nobody can be happy with someone like you growling at them in a voice like that."

"I should say not!" remarked Mister Fuzz Wuzz. "Who are you' anyway? Why don't you come out and let us have a look?"

"Because I can't see! I'm blind and here I stay I suppose for the rest of my days. It makes me nervous to hear people yelling that they are so happy and so gay."

"Stuff! Stuff and nonsense! Who wants you to be sorry? But it does seem too bad that I who had a dozen eyes, can't see a thing any more."

"If you can't come to us, we shall go to you," declared Mister Fuzz Wuzz. "I don't like anybody in Doofunny Land to be unhappy."

And whom do you think they found? The potato horse—the proud steed with match legs and broom-straw tail!

"Well, well, well! So it's you, Spud, is it?" cried Mister Fuzz Wuzz. "How does it come that your master, the peanut boy, isn't looking after you?"

"He's been in bed with a cracked nose," said Spud. "And I fell and got dirt in every one of my eyes, and now I can't even see what I am eating."

"Oh, we can fix you up," declared Mister Fuzz Wuzz.

Well, all three of them got at the poor blind potato-horse and cleaned the mud out of his dozen eyes, but no sooner had he gotten his sight back than he began to stamp and back and stand up on his hind legs as though he had gone crazy.

"Now what's wrong?" demanded the little pipe-cleaner man.

"It's that white thing behind me," whinnied the potato-horse. "What is it? It scares me."

"Only a piece of paper," said Nick.

"And what's that black thing yonder?" snorted the horse. It makes me shiver all over."

"Only a shadow," said Nancy. "It won't hurt you."

"But there's another black thing on my other side that looks like a snake," shivered the horse. "What's that?"

"Only a garden hose," Mister Fuzz Wuzz assured him.

"Say, look here, old Mister Fussy," cried Mister Fuzz Wuzz, "you were happier blind. It won't hurt you."

"I suppose not," whinnied the horse. "But do put blinders on all of my eyes, please. Then I'll feel safe."

"There's none so blind as those who won't see," said the little man. "But I give it up. Come on, Twins. This fellow has made up his mind to be unhappy, no matter what we do. Let's see—where did we leave off? Oh, yes, we're so happy and so gay—come on, all together! Sing everybody!"

"Rubbish!" said the horse. "No sympathy in this world!"

(To Be Continued)

CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

By Uncle RAY

Wall and Gates of Rome

Rome is one of the world's oldest cities. It was settled more han twenty-five hundred years ago. Almost ever since, it has been an important center of history making.

No doubt you have heard the story of Romulus and Remus, and what they had to do with starting Rome. That is a good story, but we can be pretty sure it is only a story.

You may not have read the part of the legend telling how Rome's first walls were built. Here is a paragraph:

"On April 21, the founder, Romulus, wore a white robe. He yoked a bull and a heifer to a plow and drove around the hill. The furrow marked the place of the wall. Where gates were wished, he lifted the plow."

This is said to account for one of our English words. Perhaps you have heard doorways or gates called "portals." That word comes from a Roman word which means "to carry." So a portal was a place where the plow had been carried!

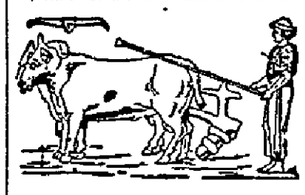
The Romans were so sure their city had been started on April 21 that they held a feast on that date, and people marched around the ancient wall. Each year a priest drove a nail in a temple, a fairly good way of keeping track of the years.

Not long after the highest hill of Rome was settled, other people began to dwell on a nearby hill. There were disputes between the people of the two hills, and sometimes fights. By and by, they decided to quit fighting and join together.

The space between the two hills was made sacred to a god called Janus. This god, the Romans said, had two faces. He was supposed to guard over both hills. Citizens often met in the region set apart for Janus. Part of it later became the famous Roman Forum

People living on a third hill were soon added to the city. The Roman word for one-third was "tribus." Our word "tribe" comes from that.

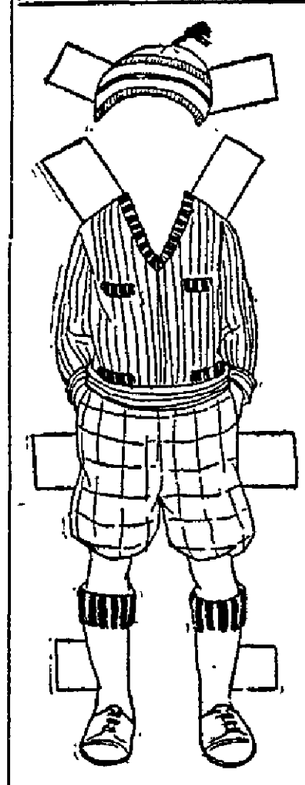
Next: Rome Gets Tired of Kings.



This picture shows an ancient Roman plow, drawn by oxen.

Color Cut-Outs

A Paper Easter Lily That Stands



"I won't be a dandy and dress up for that old fashion thing," grumbled Billy Cut-out, kicking a rock. "Oh, say," he yelled at Fred and Burt, "where are you going?"

"Down to try on our clothes for the big style show," his friends replied. "Too bad you weren't asked."

"Aw, say, don't fool yourself," scoffed Billy. "I was just on my way down there myself. I was asked a long time ago."

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Billy decided there was nothing undignified about being in the style show if Fred, who was the school's champion sprinter, and Burt, who could do trapeze stunts, would be there. The outfits which they first tried on were sport togs. Billy's had tan linen trousers with brown stripes, a tan and brown sweater, hose and striped silk cap, fine for keeping his hair slicked down.

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Prince of Wales Quits Steeple Chase

By United Press.

LONDON, April 8.—News of the World says that as a result of a serious talk with his father, King George, the Prince of Wales has promised to give up dangerous steeple chasing in the future and confine his riding to less dangerous events.

The newspaper adds that the prince lost three front teeth when kicked in the face in his latest accident in addition to other injuries.

Heart Beats Heard Across the Ocean

By United Press.

LONDON, April 8.—A puzzling clicking sound which at first could not be identified was picked up early Sunday by the receiving station at the British Broadcasting company.

It was later proved to be heart beats broadcast by the Pittsburgh, Pa., station KDKA.

Perhaps four big American battleships found unfit could be sold to the rum runners.

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MARKETS

WALL STREET JOURNAL FINANCIAL REVIEW

By United Press.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Active issues continued under the same influences which had dominated the previous session at the opening of the stock exchange today with professional pressure continuing in industrials and persistent buying among the rails.

Norfolk and Western retained leadership in the latter group, reaching new high ground for the year at 133½.

Opening prices included:
Studebaker 92¼, off ⅛.
Southern Railway 54½.
Bethlehem Steel 50⅞, up ⅛.
Sinclair 22⅜, up ⅛.
New York Central 101⅞, off ⅛.
General Motors 14⅜.
International Petroleum 37⅛, off ⅛.
American Can 103⅜, off ⅛.
Union Pacific 131.
Baldwin 115⅜, off ⅛.
Norfolk and Western 133⅛, up ⅛.
U. S. Steel 95⅜, off ⅛.
U. S. Rubber 25⅞, up ⅛.
Texas Company 42⅞.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, April 8.—Foreign exchange opened higher.
Sterling $4.33⅛.
Francs .0555½.
Lire .0443½.
Belgian .0184½.
Marks 4,500,000,000,000.
Guilders .3727.

NEW YORK LIBERTY BONDS

U. S. Liberty, 3½s	99.02
U. S. Liberty, 1st 4¼s	99.23
U. S. Liberty, 2nd 4¼s	99.22
U.S. Liberty, 3rd 4¼s	100.06
U. S. Liberty, 4th 4¼s	99.27

CHICAGO PRODUCE

BUTTER: Receipts 14,148; creamery, extras 38; creamery, standards 36, firsts 36@36½, seconds 35@35½.
EGGS: Receipts 1,518; ordinaries 20½@21, firsts 22@22½.
CHEESE: Twins 18½; Young Americas 21½.
POULTRY: Receipts three cars; fowls 21@26, ducks 28; geese 16; springs 29; turkeys 22, roosters 18.
POTATOES: Receipts 201 cars.

LOUISIANA VISITORS IMPRESSED BY CITY

Rev. C. O. Wagner of Lake Charles and Rev. W. Lotz of Jennings, La., returned to their respective homes this morning after several days' visit in Port Arthur as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Anderson, 1101 Sixth street. While here they attended the dedication of the new Trinity Lutheran church. They were taken for several tours of the city and were greatly impressed with the growth of Port Arthur and its industrial activities.

House In Debate On Immigration Bill

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The house today settled down to a 12-hour debate on the proposed two per cent quota immigration bill.

From 11 a. m. until 11 p. m. debate on the measure was scheduled to occupy undivided attention of the lawmakers. Opponents of the bill today admitted there was very little hope of blocking its passage.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR

B. E. Quinn announces his candidacy for the office of county tax assessor, subject to the Democratic primaries July 26.

FRATERNAL

NOTICE I. O. O. F.

All members of Port Encampment No. 28, I. O. O. F., are requested to be present at the regular meeting Wednesday, April 9th, 8 p. m. Important business. Visiting Patriarchs cordially invited.
A. F. HOLBERG, C. P.

Stated Convocation Port Arthur Chapter No. 200, R. A. M., Thursday, April 10, 1924, 7:30 p. m. Work in Royal Arch Degree.
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W. H. TELFAIR, Sec.

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Oath having been made as required by law you are hereby commanded to summon Bill Rose by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 60th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 60th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Jefferson County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Beaumont, on the First Monday

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in June, A. D. 1924, the same being the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 23050, wherein Hazel Rose is Plaintiff, Bill Rose is Defendant, said petition alleging: cruelty and non support. Plaintiff prays for divorce costs of court and all other and further relief to which he may be entitled.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, E. KIRBY SMITH, Clerk of the District Court of Jefferson County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Beaumont, this the 7th day of April, A. D. 1924.
E. KIRBY SMITH, Clerk.
District Court, Jefferson County.
By S. ALLEN, Deputy.
A true copy I certify. T. H. GARNER, Sheriff, Jefferson County, Tex.
By C. E. KENNEDY, Deputy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
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You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Jefferson County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the welfare of John Lawrence Marshall and Courtney Douglass Marshall, minors, A. H. Marshall was by the County Court of Jefferson County, Texas, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1923, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the estates of said minors, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in May, A. D. 1924, the same being the 5th day of May, A. D. 1924, at the Court House thereof, in Beaumont, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Beaumont, Texas, this the 18th day of March, A. D. 1924.
W. A. COWARD, Clerk,
County Court Jefferson County, Tex.
By C. NELSON, Deputy.
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MODEL ADDITION LOTS
On 9th, 10th and 11th streets—10% down, balance long monthly payments. Drive out to 9th st. and 2nd Ave. today and look these over.
E. L. VAUGHAN & CO.
431 5th St.
Phone 98

REAL ESTATE—GENERAL

HERE is a genuine bargain, five-room modern and three-room servant house, 1200 block Seventh for $3500, $800 cash, balance $35 and interest. You know this property is worth $5000.
Five-room modern home on lake front corner lot, 1300 block, for $3150 and oly $350 cash, balance $25 and interest.
Five-room modern on corner lot, 1400 block, for $2700, $750 cash.
Five-room, not modern, 600 block Eighteenth handy little home, will take a good lot as first payment.
Six-room, not modern home on Fifteenth. This is a new home and a sacrifice at $2575, $585 cash.
Two lovely new Model homes for sale on easy terms.
Fiverooms, all modern, 3000 block old Model, $6000, one-half cash.
AVANT REALTY CO.
Phone 1303

SIXTH STREET HOME
Just above Stilwell. Has six rooms, modern, $4400, $2400 cash and balance semi-annually.
EIGHTH STREET OLD MODEL LOTS
Two adjoining lots, both for $1700, $325 cash, balance $25 per month.
LAKE SHORE LOT
Close in, size 50x140, $1500, $1750 cash and balance easy.
SEVENTH ST. CORNER
Centrally located, with seven-room modern home, garage, shade trees and all that goes to make a beautiful home. Price and terms on application.
THE REID AGENCY
400 Procter Street
Phones 1319 and 2675-W.

To See
LOTS
in
"THE GROVES"
Phone 818
Asa B. Groves W. Y. Craig

What have you got to trade you don't need any cash.
I have a brand new 5-room and bath all modern house and garage in a nice location; I will take in trade a good light car as first payment and balance $35 per month; come to my office and let me show you this.
F. E. NAEGELI
Real Estate
419 Procter Phone 942

HERE ARE SOME REAL BARGAINS IN LOTS
A good lot on Thomas, $1200, $400 cash.
A corner lot on 12th street, $1450 cash.
A nice lot on 15th street, $1000, $500 cash.
One of the finest modern homes in Model Addition, all fenced, good garage, price $6000, $500 cash, balance $50 per month.
A nice corner lot on Savannah, one 5-room and one 4-room house, $3650, $1000 cash.
Lots in San Jacinto Park joining Pear Ridge are selling, streets are being shelled, price of these lots are within the reach of all. Only $250, 10 per cent cash.
Phone us for car when you want to see this beautiful addition.
P. S. DeWITT REALTY CO.
531 Austin Ave. Phone 1755
P. S. DeWitt H. H. McLean

I am placing homes and lots every day. If you have one to sell why not list it with me? If it's priced right I'll seek out a buyer for it.
T. F. FRERE
Room 15 Over City Drug Store
Phone 370

If You Really Want Cash for Your Real Estate
And will make a low price to prove that you mean business—
See D. KINARD
Happy Homes for Less
401 Procter Phone 310
P. S.—We especially need a nice home near High School. Also one near the DeQueen School. Also one in the Model Addition.

REAL ESTATE—GENERAL

NEAT 5-room modern home, corner lot, 10th street, $50 cash, balance monthly.
Good lot, West Procter street, buy lot and build negro houses, the best rent property in town.
Some one-acre tracts on Country Club Road, the best of terms. Five acres at Pearl Garden in truck, $2000.
Five acres close in on paved road, the last chance to get a real good piece of land close to town on the paved road.
W. M. LAIRD
REAL ESTATE AND RENTALS
Williams & Sachs Bldg. Phone 311

FOR SALE—6-room modern home, 3-room servant house, garage, $4,300, $300 cash, 1533 Tenth St.

HERE is your chance to get a real home in the country, close to Port Neches and close enough to Port Arthur to work here. Big house and 16 acres of land all ready planted. If you feel like you want some fresh air we will look this over.
Nice five-room modern house in 1100 block Seventeenth street. Will take Ford and a little money down as first payment.
Dandy little corner in 3300 block Ninth street. Can handle with small payment down.
We can handle some good notes on some of this property.
Phone 1779
MACKEY BROS.

I INVITE
Your attention to some of the many places that should please the homeseeker and investor.

This practically new 6-room house, modern in every respect on 12th street, $3700, $500 cash.
Lovely corner on 8th street near DeQueen with 3-room house, $3000, $800 cash.
Large 5-room modern home, 5th street, 2300 block, $4500, will accept good first lien notes as cash.
Beautiful corner on 9th street with 6-room, story-and-half house, modern throughout, double garage, shelled driveway, for $5500 $1500 cash notes $43 and interest.
Wonder buy for investor or homeseeker. This 6-room house near Texas Company, $2500, $200 cash, notes like rent.
Lovely corner on 12th street with 5-room modern house and garage, $3800, $800 cash.
Neat 5-room completely modern home on 7th street near Stilwell boulevard, $4000, $1100 cash. See this place. You'll like it.
A real home is this stucco 5-room modern home, 8th street near DeQueen, $4200, $900 cash.
A real good buy, this 4-room house in Model in the highest part for $2700, $300 cash.
Three-room house near Franklin school, $2400, $500 cash, notes $24 and interest.
If you don't see what you want here call me. I have many others to show you, whether it be rooming houses, lots or acreage.
T. F. FRERE
Room 15 Above City Drug Store.
Phone 370

MODERN 5-room home, 2500 block 12th, $3600.
Modern 5-room home, 2300 block, $3250.
Good 5-room home, 1201, $3750.
Modern 5-room home, 1401, $3500.
Fine 6-room home, 3500, $3700.
All of the above for $100 and up cash; balance seven and eight years' time.
Also good lots close in and other locations to build to suit you, 5 per cent to 10 per cent cash, balance seven years' time.
Also a number of good well improved little farms from 10 to 200 acres, to exchange for Port Arthur property.
J. C. ZECK 529½ Procter

REAL ESTATE—PORT NECHES

MY EQUITY, two choice lots Magnolia Addition, Port Neches, 2314-5. Phone 1320-W.

REAL ESTATE—SUBURBAN

FOR SALE—Corner and three adjoining lots on shell street at Pear Ridge. Phone 2331-W.

FOR SALE
TEN ACRES of good fertile land in the best possible location on high elevation close to the Groves, a bargain for quick sale. P. O. Box 628.

The Port Arthur News
Classified Advertising Information

Classified advertising is accepted over the telephone as a matter of courtesy. In return for this the advertiser is expected to remit promptly when the collector calls.

All ads set solid in nonpareil type unless otherwise ordered.

Display limited to 10 point type and white space.

Use of cuts and ads of more than one column not permitted.

Misclassification of ads not permitted.

Errors, not the fault of the advertiser, which clearly lessen the value of the advertisement, should be corrected the first day, when one extra corrected insertion will be made without charge. The News assumes no responsibility for error after first day.

Ads to appear week days are accepted until 11 a. m. same day of publication. Saturdays, 10 a. m. and Sundays, 8 p. m. Saturday.

RATES

One insertion, per word	2c
Three insertions, per word	5c
Seven insertions, per word	10c
Thirty insertions, per word	30c
Minimum classified charge	30c
Minimum word charge	12 words

Rates based upon consecutive insertions, net, payable in advance.

Count six words to the line.

The Port Arthur News
Is on sale at the following places:
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Tuxedo News Stand
Mitchell News Stand
Neilsens' Book Store
Curio Art Store
Ransom's News Stand
Wehril's News Stand
Plaza Hotel
Heights Drug Store
Thomas' Car Barn News Stand
Procter Drug Co.
College Pharmacy
Model Drug Co.
Mossman's News Stand
BEAUMONT
Cozy News Stand
Beaumont Shoe Shine Parlor
Joe Wallace
Crystal News Stand
Beaumont News Stand
John Abood, 327 Pearl Street
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Nederland Drug Co.
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Port Neches Drug Co.
SAN ANTONIO
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SHIPPING VERY ACTIVE TODAY

Six Vessels Arrive at Local Port Tuesday

Continued marked activity in shipping in ports of the Sabine district was reported today when arrivals late Monday and early today, totalling six vessels, showed two cargo ships bound for Orange, three tankers entered at Port Arthur and one tanker to Beaumont.

Among the Port Arthur arrivals were the Texas Company's tankers Reaper and Georgia, and the tanker Bidwell to the Atlantic Refining company's terminals here. The sailings from Port Arthur included the British steamships Roseric and Zamora, the former going out for South Africa, and the latter for South America, via Pensacola to complete cargo.

ARRIVED APRIL 8

Vessel, Flag, Tonnage, Agent, Location.

West Ivis, 3631, from Galveston to Orange, Lykes-Spitcovich.

Royal Arrow, 4800, from New York to Beaumont, Magnolia company.

Reaper, 5160, from Sabine Bar to Port Arthur, Texas Company.

Bidwell, 4678, from Philadelphia to Port Arthur, Atlantic company.

Georgia, 3746, from Key West to Port Arthur, Texas Company.

Connes Peak, 3425, from Houston to Orange, Lykes-Spitcovich.

SAILED APRIL 8

Derbyline, 4348, from Port Neches for Atreco, Texas Company.

Roseric (Br), 305, from Port Arthur for South Africa, Sydney C. Collin company.

Fred R Kellogg, 4418, from Atreco for Port Arthur, Atlantic company.

Zamora (Br), 2350, from Port Arthur for Pensacola, John E. Jones company.

Gulfcoast, 3202, from Port Arthur for Gretna, Gulf company.

IN PORT ARTHUR

Customs Docks

Supheneo, 2174, Transmarine corporation.

Cotton Docks

Sch. Lady Antoinette (Br), 89, C. Flanagan and Sons.

Texas Company Docks

Silver Ash (Br), 3415, Texas Company.

Shenandoah, 5143, Texas Company.

Norwich City (Br), 4220, John E. Jones company.

West Kasson, 1725, Lykes-Spitcovich.

Atreco, 5154, Texas Company.

Reaper, 5160, Texas Company.

Georgia, 3746, Texas Company.

Frederick R. Kellogg, 4418, Atlantic company.

Gulf Company Docks

Urano (Ital), E. Papich.

Gulfmaid, 3248, Gulf company.

Lisa (Nor), 3618, Sydney C. Collin company.

Garonne (Fr), Gulf company.

Ship Basin

Ship Marion Chilcott, 1510, Sydney C. Collin company.

Slip No. 2

Brig Genevieve, 152, Munger T. Ball.

Bark S. G. Wilder, 559, laid up.

Atlantic Company Docks

Derbyline, 1318, Atlantic company.

Bidwell, 4678, Atlantic company.

AT PORT NECHES

Freeport Sulphur No. 2, Pure Oil company.

AT ORANGE

Lonzo (Ital), 3125, W. H. Tippin company.

Sch Resolute, 610, Lutcher-Moore Lumber company.

West Ivis, 3631, Lykes Spitcovich.

Connes Peak, 3425, Lykes-Spitcovich.

AT BEAUMONT

Johanne Dowad (Nor), 1678, Standard Export company.

Lisa (Nor), 2826, John E. Jones company.

Lonzo, 2223, Magnolia company.

Royal Arrow, 4800, Magnolia company.

BAROMETER READING

The corrected reading of the barometer (reduced to sea level) at the U. S. weather bureau office in Port Arthur, Texas, on Tuesday, April 8, is 7 a. m. 29.90 inches. This closely approximates 761.8 millimeters.

TIDE REPORT

The tide in the ship canal at Port Arthur, Texas, on Tuesday, April 8 at 8 a. m. according to the U. S. weather bureau was 0 (nine-tenths) of a foot.

OBSTRUCTION TO NAVIGATION

[illegible] issued through the New Orleans branch of the United States hydrographic office:

April 1—About 11-2 miles north (mag) from Northeast End light vessel, Delaware approach, passed a large spar with end just awash, apparently attached to a submerged wreckage. Meteor (ss.). Deal. Report by radio.

March 30.—Latitude 37 degrees 13 minutes, longitude 74 degrees 37 minutes, passed a lifeboat adrift with full equipment, painted black and marked Tours at the bow and Naples at the stern; wind SSW; force 4. El Mundo (ss).

March 28.—Latitude 35 degrees 46 minutes, longitude 72 degrees 16 minutes, passed a can buoy painted black and showing only about 1 foot out of water, Irene (ss), Theobald: Second Officer Rogis.

March 31.—Latitude 23 degrees 15 minutes, longitude (not given), passed an obstruction about 100 feet long and 15 feed wide. Eurora (ss). Svane. Report by radio.

Note—As this vessel was proceeding towards New York from Canal the longitude of this obstruction was probably about 74 degrees 20 minutes W.

April 1—Latitude 18 degrees 34 minutes, longitude 75 degrees 30 minutes, passed a four-masted schooner barge apparently derelict with only fore and mainmasts standing, no sails set. Yoro (Hond. ss.) Report by radio.

ESSELS DUE TO ARRIVE

Brindilla, due April 12 to Sydney C. Collin company, Texas Company.

Armeric, due April 25 to Sydney C. Collin company, Texas Company.

Oakfield, due April 15 to Sydney C. Collin company, Texas Company.

Nausicaa, due April 20, Sydney C. Collin company, Magnolia company.

Lio, due April 10, Sydney C. Collin company, Magnolia company.

West Coburn, due April 12 to Hall Shipping company.

Kentucky, due April 12 to Texas Company, Sydney C. Collin company

Salaam, due April 21 to Lykes-Spitcovich.

PLEASURE PIER

(Continued from Page 1)

it was agreed with the commissioners that the bids be turned over to the board for consideration. A conference with the commission will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at which time the board will probably make a report on the bid most favorable.

Major Fitz Gerald proposed to put the bridge and cable in immediate repair, and offered the city 15 per cent of the gross receipts, 33 1-3 per cent of the net profits derived from operation of the pier or $500 a month as the city's portion for a five-year lease. His bid proposed that the pier be maintained under supervision of the city, that the city keep order and peace on the place, that bathing, fishing and playgrounds be free to the public, and that in event the cable or bridge became useless the city should furnish a means of transportation for the public across the canal.

Maitre's Bid

Henry Maitre's bid offered the city $1,500 per annum, the bidder, if granted a lease, agreeing to defray half the cost of repairing bridge and cable, the city to operate and maintain same upon completion. Maitre also made an optional bid, asserting he would give the city 20 per cent of the profits and defray the costs of all repairs needed himself.

Offer Series of Bids

Ericson and Sandefur offered a series of bids covering the proposition in part or in whole, guaranteeing to advance the city $8,000 immediately to be used in repairing the bridge and cable, and in other repairs such as are needed, and offered an alternative bid seeking operation of the dance concession or pavilion exclusive of any other portion of the pier. They also bid on drink and refreshment concessions, and guaranteed the city's share of receipts would not be less than $4,000 per year.

C. E. Dunstan offered in his bid to advance the city funds necessary for repairing the place, and offered 30 per cent of the gross earnings to the city. Dunstan's bid declared the bidder would agree to furnish one bridge tender during each month of the year for a five-year contract.

L. G. Reel bid on fishing and bathing concessions alone, offering the city a series of propositions.

The bid of Cordua and Bradley proposed to operate the pier under a joint managerial basis, the city to receive 50 per cent of the profits derived on all concessions except a boat house which the bidders would erect in Lake Sabine at an approximate cost of $15,000. The bidders asserted they would promote all kinds of water sports, and would attract numerous excursions to the city.

In each instance, the bidders sought a five-year contract, suggested a joint management of the pier with the city as partners, and required the city to pay back to the prospective lessees all funds advanced to make the necessary repairs.

M'DONALD WILL NOT GIVE UP

Defeated, He Refuses to Resign

By LLOYD ALLEN
United Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON, April 8.—Undismayed by last night's defeat, Premier MacDonald today reiterated his determination to carry on until the government is beaten on "a substantial issue, a matter of principle or a direct vote of confidence."

The labor cabinet met to attempt to devise a method to handle the evictions bill in another form. It was on this measure that the government met defeat by nine votes. Parliamentary order prohibits reintroduction of a defeated bill in the same session.

The British press generally upholds MacDonald in not resigning. The premier spent the morning about about his foreign office duties. He showed the strain of last night's harrowing experience when he sat with folded arms and deathly white face, in a maelstrom of jibes from the tory opposition, refusing to resign.

NEW TAX BILL WINS APPROVAL

Mellon Rates Included In Measure

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The new tax bill—with the Mellon rate written in—was ordered favorably reported by the senate finance committee today after nearly a month of discussion.

The committee's action puts the bill on the floor of the senate where it faces a bitter fight and apparently inevitable and complete revision by the porgressives and the democrats. It will be taken up for discussion probably next Monday.

The bill is a complete revision of the measure passed by the house a month ago. Republican members of the senate committee by reason of the complacency of democrats were permitted to restore the rates first proposd by Mellon, which were rejected by the house.

FIGHT REMOVAL OF TERMINAL

Transmarine Case Will Go Before I. C. C.

Efforts of the Port Arthur Chamber of Commerce and Shipping to keep Port Arthur a port of call for Transmarine corporation ships and keep the New York-Port Arthur ocean freight rates in effect after the corporation moves its terminals to Beaumont will be carried before the Interstate commerce commission at Washington.

Added Cost Great

Decision to have a representative in Washington to oppose the Transmarine corporation's request for a suspension of the New York-Port Arthur rates was taken by the directors Monday night after Frank Potts, manager of the traffic department of the chamber, reported the suspension of the rates will cost Port Arthur shippers 5 to 12 cents more per 100 pounds of freight brought down by the corporation's ships from New York.

The rate known as the seaboard rate is of more importance to Port Arthur than any of the others, Potts said, and under the Transmarine corporation's request for a suspension, this rate would be increased from $1.69 to $1.80, a difference of 12 cents per 100 pounds, he said. This seaboard rate applies on shipments originating on and east of a line as far west as Wheeling, West Virginia, including Pittsburg and Buffalo, and all of New England, the traffic manager said.

Other Rate Increase

An increase of 11 cents per hundred pounds would be paid by Port Arthur shippers on first class freight originating in New York for delivery in Port Arthur by the Transmarine corporation ships, Potts said. At present with service maintained by the corporation direct to Port Arthur, this rate from Port Newark is $1.38 per hundred, and in the event the steamship company is granted its suspension petition, the rate will be increased to $1.49, Potts said.

Not only rates on first class freight and seaboard rates would be increased, but car load shipment rates, varying according to the commodities comprising the shipments, would be increased 5 cents, Potts said.

How It Will Look

"Increase in all of these rates is the result of the Transmarine corporation discontinuing to stop their ships at Port Arthur when they move the terminals to Beaumont, which means that instead of unloading freight to Port Arthur on Port Arthur docks, the ships will carry this freight through Port Arthur to Beaumont, unload it there and transship it to Port Arthur by rail," Potts told the directors.

Should the new rates sought by the Transmarine corporation go into effect, it will be just as cheap for Port Arthur to bring freight down from New York through Galveston or New Orleans by the Ward and Mallory line steamships, and have it transshipped from these points by rail by Port Arthur, Potts said.

ATLANTA CHIEF GOES ON TRIAL

Suspension Is Sequel to Candler Case

By United Press.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 8.—The trial of Chief of Police Beavers, charged before the police commission with arresting the pretty young wife of the multi-millionaire Asa G. Candler, "under circumstances which may lead to divorce proceedings" will continue throughout the week, attorneys said today.

First hearing of the charges against the suspended chief, was held last night and deal only with alleged technical infractions of the department's regulations.

Attorneys for Beavers indicated that they are preparing to force the fight into the courts if the commission finds that the chief is guilty. The commission last night refused to request that the city council hear the charges.

Twenty miles of previously undiscovered pearl beds have been reported as lying off the lower tip of India, in the Gulf of Mannar.

TWO MEN DIE IN FT. WORTH DUEL

Woman Accused of Luring Them to Battle

FORT WORTH, April 8.—A woman was accused today of arranging a spectacular revolver duel between two men in a downtown drug store here.

Mrs. Myrtle Doss Hooks was charged with assault to murder following the shooting to death of Dr. Ira E. Holcombe, local practitioner, and H. C. Green, driver of a laundry wagon.

The two men shot each other down in a close range pistol battle. Mrs. Hooks, it was charged, lured Green to the drug store where the duel was staged.

Both men emptied their revolvers at close range before they fell to the floor mortally wounded. Holcombe died instantly; Green, with five bullet wounds, lived several hours.

Before dying, Green said Holcombe had accused him of having improper relations with the doctor's wife while making his laundry route, which he denied. He said Mrs. Hooks called him to the drug store "to settle this trouble."

$155,000 FUND IS UNCOVERED IN TRIAL

By United Press.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 8.—Defense attorneys in the trial of Governor Warren T. McCray today continued introduction of evidence shedding light on the deals by which the governor obtained the $155,000 of the board's money he is accused of stealing.

TEXAS SCHOOL BOY SETS JUMP RECORD

CISCO, April 8.—Garland Shephard, local high school boy, made a new interscholastic championship jump when he cleared the bar at 6 feet in a country meet here.

HOW FAT ACTRESS WAS MADE SLIM

Many stage people now depend entirely upon Marmola Prescription Tablets for reducing and controlling fat. One clever actress tells that she reduced steadily and easily by using this new form of the famous Marmola Prescription, and now, by taking Marmola Prescription Tablets several times a year, keeps her weight just right. All good druggists sell Marmola Prescription Tablets at one dollar for a box, or, if you prefer, you can secure them direct from the Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. If you have not tried them do so. They are harmless and effective.

New Way To Banish Rheumatic Pains Discovered By Alessandro Volta

Rids You of Rheumatic Pain Without Drugs or Medicine

Until recently, the real cause of rheumatism has evaded scientific inquiry. And, naturally, the old-fashioned methods of treatment with internal remedies were uncertain and sometimes dangerous.

Now it has been definitely established that rheumatic pains are caused in many cases by the absorption of poisons into the blood.

Alessandro Volta, well-known physicist, for whom the electric volt was named, produced an entirely new and revolutionary method of treatment for Rheumatism. He discovered a scientific combination of certain ingredients that produces a fine powder which, when shaken into the shoes or stockings is intended to be immediately absorbed into the blood. This is due, no doubt, to the fact that the soles of the feet contain 10 times as many pores to the square inch as are found in other parts of the body.

He has called this powder Volta. Its use has given immediate relief, in many instances, from the terrible crippling, torturing pain even in stubborn, long-standing cases.

The use of Volta powder has demonstrated such astonishing results in literally thousands of cases, many of which were considered hopeless, that the American distributors have authorized local druggists to dispense Volta to rheumatic sufferers in their city with an unqualified guarantee to return the full purchase price of the first box in any rare case where the rheumatic pains are not wonderfully relieved.

All who suffer with rheumatic pains, no matter how long-standing their case may be, should take immediate advantage of this liberal offer. You can get Volta from City Drug Co., Corner Drug Co., and McMullen & Glass.—Adv.

Don't Neglect Your Kidneys!

Are you miserable with an aching back? Get up lame and stiff; drag around tired, weak and depressed? Then you should help your kidneys. Backache is often the first sign of weakening kidneys. Neglected, there's danger of serious kidney sickness. Don't wait! Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Doan's have helped thousands. Are endorsed here at home. Ask your neighbor!

Here's a Port Arthur Case!

J. C. Duncan, 1203 Tenth St., says: "I had an attack of kidney trouble that caused me to suffer a lot with my back and I couldn't do any lifting or stooping. My back ached and my kidneys didn't act right. Doan's Pills took the ache out of my back and regulated my kidneys."—Adv.

DOAN'S PILLS 60c
STIMULANT DIURETIC TO KIDNEYS
Foster-Milburn Co., Mfg. Chem., Buffalo, N.Y.

"LONG TOILET Preparations"

The name of Long is synonymous with quality. There is but one quality in these exquisite toilet preparations and it is the most efficient for the purpose intended. If you are not acquainted with these preparations we invite you to visit our toilet article department and meet Madam Mae, the special representative for L. R. Long, who will advise with you privately and give you, without charge, valued information as to the creams best adapted for your individual use.

LONG'S ARCADIA CREAM—A vanishing non-greasy cream to be used as a day cream or base for powder **50c**

LONG'S SKIN TONIC—This tonic was perfected to quickly relieve enlarged pores and for strengthening flacid or relaxed muscles **75c**

LONG'S COLD CREAM—A cleansing Cream for removing all impurities, dust and other accumulations of foreign matter, not only from the surface, but from the extreme depth of the pores.

50c AND $1.00

LONG'S TISSUE CREAM—Is an excellent massage cream made entirely of vegetable oils. Prevents the forming of wrinkles and lines, and if used regularly gradually softens and removes those already formed. Prevents the skin from becoming rough and dry.

50c AND $1.00

LONG'S BLEACHING CREAM—Positively removes freckles, moth patches, pimples, black-heads, sun-burn, tan, etc. Regular strength 50c and $1.00. Double strength

75c AND $1.50

Ask us about other numbers, rouges, powders, scalp preparations not included in this list.

FREE OFFER—With each purchase of Long's Toilet Preparations amounting to $1.00 or more we will give free a 50c bottle of Long's Liquid Cocoanut Oil Shampoo as long as the supply lasts.

Deutser's

CUTICURA SOOTHES ITCHING RASHES

Bathe gently but freely with Cuticura Soap to cleanse and purify. Dry lightly and apply Cuticura Ointment to soothe and heal. Do not fail to include the exquisitely scented Cuticura Talcum in your toilet preparations.

Sample Free by Mail Address, "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept 2F, Malden 48, Mass." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c Ointment 25 and 50c Talcum 25c. Try our new Shaving Stick.

It Is Offering Such

Exceptionally Good Values as These

which make our

Housefurnishing Sale

the great event that it is

This is an unusual opportunity to stock up on what you need to wear and things you need for the home at a good savings, but we advise early shopping before these extra values are sold out. Tomorrow is the time you should come for the items listed here.

Sheets and Pillow Cases

Full size fine count Fine Sheets at **$1.25**

42x36 inch snow white Pillow cases at **19c**

One lot of very fine Pillow Cases, worth 45c each, to go on sale at only **35c**
(A very special bargain)

Birds Eye
One lot of 27 inch Birds Eye 10 yard bolts at only **$2.25**

Napkins
Special lot of good quality large size $1.50 napkins, dozen **98c**

Tea Napkins
Special selection of dainty scalloped, good looking tea napkins, worth $3.50 for only, set of six **$2.45**

42x36 inch Pepperell Pillow Cases at **39c**

Tickings at Special Prices
65c Ticking for **59c**
50c Ticking for **44c**
45c Ticking for **39c**
25c Ticking for **19c**

Bed Spreads
Special lot of large size Hardspun bed spreads, worth $5.98, for **$3.69**

Table Cloth Sets
Offering special lot of fine table sets consisting of beautiful colored table cloth and six napkins, a good $6.00 value for .. **$4.25**

Scarfs
One lot of beautiful attractive lace scarfs, worth $2.50, for **$1.98**

SPECIAL—SPECIAL

Curtains

One hundred pieces of good looking white scrim curtains, worth $1.75, for only pair **$1.19**

One lot of dainty white curtains with neat colored edges, regular $3.50 values for only pair **$2.49**

Come see and you'll be convinced of their worth.

$4.50 Curtains $3.98
$4.75 Curtains $4.25
$4.95 Curtains $4.35
$6.95 Curtains $5.95
$7.95 Curtains $6.95
$9.95 Curtains $8.95

TOWELS!

The best values you ever saw—the more you buy, the more you save.

Large size huck towels with neat red border, worth $1.98 dozen for only, dozen **$1.39**

Large size snow white fine quality bath towels, worth $3.00 dozen, for dozen **$2.49**

Extra large size snow white bath towels, worth 75c each, for only, each **59c**

One lot of fine ribbed bath towels, worth 50c each for only, each **39c**

Special lot of fast colored bordered Turkish Towels, very fine soft quality, a good 75c value . **59c**

Dozens of fancy scalloped Turkish towels, worth $1.25 very special at **89c**

Ginghams

2000 yards of the very finest quality high class refined, good looking, neat little check and small plaid dress gingham, worth anywhere in the United States 79c, for only **59c**

SILKS AT $3.49

Fifteen hundred yards of highest quality satin canton, plain canton, satin striped canton skirtings, figured crepes in twenty plain colors and color combinations, in values up to $6.50.

Aluminum Ware

and 8-piece Housekeepers' Kitchen Sets. Made so you can hang them on the wall within easy reach.

$1.49 In a Special Sale **$1.49**

Water Pitchers, Dish pans, water buckets, milch pails, kettles, drip pan, fine percolators, and roasters.

Yes, and the kind that will wear and last a long, long time. Regular values $1.98 to $2.98.

Taffetas $1.69

For a few days we offer one thousand yards of 36 inch colored taffetas in all the wanted shades. This is a special $2.25 silk.

NEW BAGS $3.49

Recent shipment of what's correct in attractive beaded bags, also the most attractive collection of good looking leather and suede bags — values up to $7.00.

Table Damask
One lot of fine quality highly mercerized 63 inch pure white table damask, worth 90c yard, for only .. **69c**

Special collection of 72 inch floral table damask in colors rose, gold and blue, a good $1.50 value for only **99c**

Toweling Reduced
50c Toweling **44c**
45c Toweling **39c**
39c Toweling **34c**
35c Toweling **29c**
29c Toweling **24c**
25c Toweling **21c**
20c Toweling **16c**

Romper Ripplette
One lot of genuine romper ripplette, lot of colors 39c value for **29c**

Extra Specials
10 yards 36 inch Brown Domestic **$1.00**
7 yards 27 inch Snow White 20c Bleaching **$1**
7 yards 27 inch Snow White 25c Outing **$1**
10 yards 27 inch Dress Gingham **$1**
2 1-4 yards 81 inch Brown Sheeting **$1**
3 yards 32 inch fine woven shirting **$1**
6 yards 28 inch fine Shirting Cheviot.. **$1**
5 yards 36 inch fine 20c Percale **$1**
10 yards 36 inch Scrim for **$1**

Rag Rugs
A new lot of Rag Rugs just in offered at these special prices
$1.25 $1.59 $1.98
Sizes 24x48 inches

Remnants Remnants
Thousands of yards of every material offered during our Housekeeping Sale at almost give-away prices.

Finest Stamped Crepe Dresses
$4.95 $4.95
They look like they're hand-made, worth $9.00, on sale now for the special price mentioned above. Colors, rose, pink, blue, tan, grey, green and yellow.

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